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NORTHERN PACIFIC TRAIN KILLS SEVEN SCHOOL CHILDREN

Nineteen Others Hurt When Fast Passenger Strikes Bus Squarely

BARNUM, Minn., Feb. 1.—Seven school children were killed today when a bus carrying twenty five children from school near here late today was hit by a southbound Northern Pacific passenger train. All others in the bus including the driver were hurt.

William Fogarty, Alpha Harrington, Homer Staller, Mary Snooks, John, Karl and Charley Kaivo, brothers, none more than fifteen years old were killed. Gladys MacCandlass, Andy Doan, Mary Fogarty, John Gowan and Harold Hagen were the most seriously injured, and have been removed to a hospital at Moose Lake, where it is said they will recover.

Carl Mueller, the driver was but slightly hurt.

Marion Fogarty, Gladys Jarvis and John Zowan, were seriously injured and have been removed to a hospital at Moose Lake together with other children not so seriously injured, and the driver, Carl Mueller, who was but slightly hurt.

The force of the impact derailed the two cars from the train but none of the passengers were injured.

As soon as the nature of the accident was learned passengers assisted in caring for the injured. Within a short time a special train from Carlton and one from Willow River had arrived with physicians and nurses.

The bus was a box-like vehicle without windows and Mueller said he had no chance to know that the train was approaching. The train does not stop here and was running practically on time. It struck the bus almost in the center, smashing it to bits and hurling a portion to the side of the track while the remainder was ground under the train wheels.

WINCHESTER RESIDENT PASSED AWAY FRIDAY

Charles Wallace Died After Year's Illness—Bad Fire Narrowly Averted—Other News Notes.

Winchester, Feb. 1.—Charles Wallace died at his home here at nine o'clock Friday morning after an illness of over a year's duration. He was born in Scott county thirty four years ago and had always made his home here. He was a young man of excellent habits, a member of the Christian church and a worker in that faith. He became a member of the Christian church thru the efforts of Evangelist Wilson. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary Wallace; two brothers, Walter of Winchester and John, now stationed at Camp Taylor, Ky. Another brother, Hardin, preceded him in death. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 o'clock at the Christian church in charge of Rev. G. E. Prewitt.

Paul Mason returned Thursday from a short visit in Jacksonville.

A narrow escape from fire occurred at the home of R. H. Coultas about 3 o'clock Friday afternoon. Sparks from the furnace lodged on the roof and a blaze ensued. However, it was soon discovered and with the assistance of neighbors the fire was extinguished after it had burned a small hole in the roof.

Ladies of the Red Cross will have a home baking and candy sale at Balsley's store Feb. 9. Proceeds will be used to purchase supplies for surgical dressings.

The afternoon passenger on the Burlington continues to be late. It is due in Winchester about 2 o'clocw and arrived Friday at 6:30. Residents of Jacksonville contemplating a trip over the Burlington to Winchester, who must leave home at about 11 o'clock to make the trip, are advised to start the day before if they wish to reach Winchester in time to transact business.

George Stephens, who is located at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., arrived at home Thursday night on a brief furlough.

Miss Olga Hieronymus received an offer of a position with the university of Illinois at Champaign Thursday night. She left for Champaign Friday noon. Her sister, Miss Amelia, accompanied her to Chapin. Miss Olga graduated from the Winchester high school in the commercial department, afterwards completing her course at Gem City College at Quincy. She will have the best wishes of her friends here for her success at Champaign.

A THRILLING EXPERIENCE.

The auto truck of Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie was sent out into the country with a load of goods and entered a long drift in which a narrow way had been cut. About half way thru they met a man with a sled and the situation was a little bit like the narrow paths on the Alps, where one has to lie down and let the passerby walk over his body. In this case however, that was impossible but both parties were good natured. So the horses were unhitched from the sled and taken out from the drift and then the sled turned over on one side, leaving room enough for the truck to get thru. The men voted it would be a good thing to have passing places to save time getting thru those narrow passage ways.

Dairymen Strike

Reports of Price Fixing by Milk Commission Causing Trouble

ELGIN, Ill., Feb. 1.—Reports that the milk commission would fix a price of $2.45 per hundred pounds for milk for the next five months caused dairymen of the Elgin district tonight to plan to strike tomorrow and it was predicted that not more than fifty per cent of the amount would be shipped tomorrow. Reports from dairymen all over the Chicago district—including Illinois and parts of Wisconsin and Indiana—tonight were that a general strike was planned which, if carried out would leave Chicago almost without milk. The proposed strike is not under order or direction of milk producers' association, Charles S. Potter, chairman said tonight. The association's officers are advising against it. It is understood the dairymen are willing to sell milk at $3.50 a hundred pounds. The Elgin local union tonight announced that any action by its members would be as individuals and not as an organization.

Plans of Food Production For State Farmers

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Feb. 1. — The war conference of farmers closed its convention today by adopting definite plans of food production for Illinois farmers during the coming year and recommending that these plans be followed by farmers of the nation as their reply to President Wilson's message calling attention to the country's need of their assistance in winning the war. Special committees of experts for each branch of food production were appointed and these committees will directly supervise the farm work in Illinois this year.

In substance, the plan calls on farmers to produce more and carry out the following ideas:

Grow more wheat and less corn and oats.

Produce more pork and beef.

Raise more sheep so as to produce more wool.

Raise more poultry.

Plant only such crops as are certain to succeed in your locality.

Build more silos.

Repair farm machinery so that it will not be necessary to buy new machinery—thus clogging up industries.

Use boys on the farm.

Seek the aid of the county agent and follow his advice.

Pay more attention to soil fertility.

"Do the thing on your farm that will enable you to render the greatest service to your country, remembering that you make no sacrifice equal to the sacrifice our boys are making who have gone to the front to fight," says a message with the recommendations. "While the war lasts endeavor to operate the farm in a way that will produce the most food of the kind our country and our allies need most in this trying time."

The recommendations point that the seed corn shortage in Illinois is the most serious in history and urges farmers who have good seed corn to notify the state council of defense at Chicago.

STRAYED OR STOLEN ONE BASKETBALL FIVE.

Coach Conlin and his Routt College basketball five were lost "somewhere in Illinois," Friday night. Late Friday evening an inquiry came to the Journal office about the result of the game that was supposed to have been played at Carlinville between Routt College and Blackburn University.

Inquiry by telephone elicted the information that Routt College was to play at Girard Friday night and at Carlinville Saturday evening. So communication was gotten with Girard. But Girard sent back word that the Routt five has missed train connections and did not play there.

If the Routt five took the Burlington train the only way they could miss connections would be to fall off the train as there is no change of cars between here and Girard. So the burning question is, Where was the Routt Five Marooned Friday night?

WESTMINSTER GUILD.

Westminster Guild met Friday afternoon with Mrs. H. B. Kamm at her home on Mound avenue. The election of officers was held with the following result:

President—Mrs. John R. Robertson.

Vice president—Miss Katherine Barr.

Secretary—Mrs. H. B. Kamm.

Treasurer—Miss Louise Holmes.

The program of the afternoon was a presentation of the characters and lives of John Knox and Martin Luther, with Mrs E B Landis and Miss Clara Moore as the leaders. The discussion was of a very profitable kind. Following the program came a social hour with refreshments.

FAIL TO ACCUMULATE SURPLUS

New York, Feb. 1.—Lack of fuel that has resulted in the failure of the city purchasing department to accumulate a surplus sufficient to insure continuous sessions until spring has resulted in the closing indefinitely of 135 public chools in Brooklyn. All of these schools have been closed for three weeks.

One of the largest office buildings in Brooklyn which houses many boroughs city offices has shut off heat and elevator power.

GOVERNMENT MAY ABANDON HEATLESS MONDAY PROGRAM

Rescinding Order Expected After Enforcement Next Monday

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Abandonment of the heatless Monday program after its enforcement next Monday was predicted tonight after a prolonged conference between Fuel Administrator Garfield and Director-General McAdoo. Final decision was not reported and further conference will be held Tuesday but there was every indication both officials, as well as President Wilson who has been consulted, feel the purpose sought can be accomplished by continuance of preferential coal transportation and distribution and by railroad embargoes now in force.

At the conclusion of the conference tonight the following statement was issued jointly by Dr. Garfield and Mr. McAdoo:

"We have had under conideration the question of suspending after Monday next the Monday closing order. We have not reached a final conclusion about it. We shall have another conference on Tuesday next when the results of the Monday closings and of the railroad embargoes up to that time can be fully considered, and shall be able to make an announcement next week as to whether or not a suspension of the Monday closing order may be made."

Ten heatless Mondays were decreed by the fuel administration Jan. 17 as a measure to save coal and to relieve transportation. Nevtdy ae; relieve railroad transportation. Next Monday will be the third observed. The Monday holidays were preceded by a five day industrial shutdown at the close of which eastern railroads at the direction of Director General McAdoo put on embargoes against movement of general freight.

The Monday closing has brought the most vigorous opposition from commercial, particularly big department stores. Small stores, too, have opposed it, as have the owners of office buildings. Theaters find the heatless day, as applied to them, changed to Tuesday.

It was stated officially tonight the reason final deicsion was not reached was because complete reports have not been received showing the exact results of the five days and the effects of the operation of embargoes to date.

Mr. McAdoo and Dr. Garfield are of the opinion however, it was said, that since the coal problem is largely of transportation embargoes will bring results without continuance of the Monday closings. Nine days' enforcement of the embargoes, it is held, has improved the situation as much as would an observance of nine heatless Mondays altho bad weather conditions have slowed up coal movement.

The fuel administration's preferental order calling for the distribution of coal first to householders, ships, public institutions and favored war industries will stand as well as will the railroad administration's order giving preferential rail movement to coal and food. These two orders it is declared will guarantee coal to consumers which the government is determined to see supplied, altho the less essential industries are expected to suffer and some may have to close down.

TWO CENT RAILROAD FARE IN EFFECT TODAY

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Two cent railroad fares on journeys within Illinois became effective today under the supreme court decision upholding the two cent law passed by the state legislature. Travel to St. Louis is especially affected, as travelers may buy tickets to East St. Louis, Ill., and then purchase a separate passage across the Mississippi river more cheaply than they can buy a through ticket.

NURSES WILL ATTEND STATE MEETING

A number of nurses of this city expect to attend the annual meeting of district No. 13 of the Illinois State Association of Graduate Nurses to be held at the Decatur and Macon County hospital at Decatur next Tuesday. There will be a meeting in the afternoon at 2:30 for the business session and annual election of officers. At 6 o'clock dinner will be served at the Orlando hotel, when Miss Minnie Ahrens, director of the Red Cross Nursing Service for the Central Division of the American Red Cross will give an address.

As the 13th district is composed of Morgan, Menard, Sangamon, Macon, Scott, Christian, Piatt, Moultrie and Shelby and other counties it is expected that the attendance at the Decatur meeting will be large.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Dr. E. C. Dunlap of Chicago, the chairman of the state welfare commission, spent yesterday in the city examining the state institutions and the Norbury sanitarium. The doctor is a personal friend of Dr. Norbury and was the guest of the latter while in the city.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I respectfully announce my candiacy for highway commissioner in Road District No. 9, subject to the decision of the voters of said District at the election Tuesday, April 2.

George Wood, Sr.

War News Summarized

With the military operations on all of the major battle fronts continuing far below normal, the international political situations in Germany, Russia, and Finland are still to the fore in general interest. In all three of these countries the turbulence of past days, involving constituted and de facto governments on the one hand and dissatisfied populations on the other, still prevails.

In Germany, altho apparently numerous strikers thruout the empire thus far have failed to return to work, there seemingly has been a lessening in the tensity of the situation. In Russia the internecine strife between the Bolsheviki and counter - revoluntionary factions again has heightened, while in Finland the struggle between the white guard, representing the new government and the red guard, which is opposing it, goes on.

Meanwhile, from Hungary comes a reiteration of the sincere and earnest desire of that country for peace, made before the diet by the prime minister. The failure of German newspapers to arrive at the usual neutral points from which news of conditions in Germany is disseminated, leaves a veil of uncertainty over the exact status of affairs there. Such advices as have come thru however, tend to indicate that the strike movement has reached it greatest height and now is in the process of dwindling. This fact is ascribed to the seeming lukewarmness of the labor leaders toward the movement and also, and in great part to the strong repressive measures adopted by the government.

Following closely upon the action of the military commander in Hamburg declaring martial law, the commander-in-chief of Brandenburg province in which Berlin is situated has placed the hard hand of the military upon the strikers in his jurisdiction. Under a more drastic state of sege, the commander informs the public that he will suppress every attempt at breaches of the peace with all means at his disposal. He warns orderly citizens to take no part in public meetings and to avoid crowds and concludes by saying if arms have to be used no distinction can be made between the distrubers of order and those who are not taking part in such disturbances. In Russia the Bolsheviki have captured the important Black Sea port of Odessa and also the railroad junctions of Orenburg, which lies rear the Asiatic frontier.

In addition the Bolshevik is continuing its program of hostilities against Roumania, the revolutionary committee of the Black Sea fleet having confiscated a large number of merchant and other vessels in the Black Set in order to hamper Roumania's commerce.

On the other hand the Roumanians have taken the town of Kishinev, capital of Bessarabia.

In Finland the red guard everywhere is being defeated by the white guard, or is voluntarily surrendering and laying down arms.

The revolutionists, however, still hold Helsingfors. On the battle fronts the most important fighting has taken place in the northern Italian theater. Here the Austrians endeavered to evict the Italians from new portions on Monte di Val Bellau, in the Asiago plateau sector, but were repulsed before they could reach the line of the defenders. Pryiously the Italians by a quick stroke, masterfully carried out, had pushed further forward their line in this region to the hmead of the Telego valley. Italian losses in the past few days' fighting not including the men prisoners are estimated at between 5,000 and 6,000.

Telegraph Notes

LONDON, Feb. 2.—The Steamship Montreal has been sunk in a collision. There was no loss of life and two destroyers took off the crew. The other vessel in the accident sustained little damage.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Feb. 1.—Fire of considerable proportions broke out tonight in the plant of a steel company, where several government steel vessels are being constructed and where two recently launched are being fitted out. The plant adjoins another shipbuilding plant where several steel vessels for the government are on the ways.

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 1.—The minister of war has recalled Argentina's military attaches from Berlin and Vienna. In political circles this action is regarded as significant and connected with the sinking of the Argentine Steamship Ministra Irriendo, Jan. 26.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Automobile bandits tonight entered the Randolph street station of the Illinois Central railroad, shot and killed one of the company's collectors and escaped with a satchel containing collections from several suburban stations. Witnesses say there were four bandits and that nearly a dozen shots were fired.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 1.—Dr. Alexander Wekerle, Hungarian premier in addressing the diet today declared:

"Our readiness for peace is sincere and earnest. We never strove nor do we strive for conquests."

"We aer ready to seek a just understanding which will lead to a lasting peace and the security of that peace and of international agreements," Premier Wekerle added ,according to advices reaching here from Budapest.

EMPTY CARS BEING RUSHED WEST FOR CORN MOVEMENT

R. R. Administration Fears Serious Floods in Middle West

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Fearing serious floods in the middle west and south within a few days the government railroad administration today rushed empty cars westward from the eastern congested area to provide for an emergency movement of corn to elevators, and cotton to southern seaports for trans-shipment to New England mills engaged on government orders.

This was undertaken without any dimunition of efforts to transport coal from the mines to consumption points, where today the fuel reserves were reported as near the zero mark as at any time within the last two weeks.

Owing to the absence of new snow today and the steady work of clearing tracks of accumulated ice piles, the movement of coal was slightly better and officials predicted slight improvement for the next few days.

The danger of floods loomed large however, with forecasts of warmer weather tomorrow for the middlewest and gradual eastward movement of the thawing area. The Ohio river already flows thru an ice gorge seventy miles long between Ohio and West Virginia and Kentucky, according to reports today to Director-General McAdoo and a slight thaw over its northern watershed might send it into serious flood stage early next week and endanger railroad bridges. Other streams in the middle west and south already have overflowed and are still rising. Special efforts are being made to transport corn much of which this year is soft and must reach elevators quickly. After conferring today with a delegation of grain merchants from Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, railroad administration officials arranged to despatch a number of empty cars to those states tomorrow to carry corn to St. Louis, Chicago and other terminals where large elevators are maintained.

From the corn territory west of the Mississippi the movement of corn eastward continued. From St. Louis, Memphis and other points where there are large accumulations of cotton awaiting shipment to market between 50,000 and 100,000 bales will move to South Atlantic and gulf ports within the next week on order of Director-General McAdoo issued today to C. H. Markham, regional director for the south.

Arrangements have been made for ships to carry the cotton to New England mills some of which have been forced to close for lack of material.

Edward W. Chambers, traffic director for the railroad administration estimated it would require 1,700 cars to move the cotton and the entire cargo space of about 16 ships, some of which have been supplied by the shipping board.

Satisfactory progress was reported during the day in the movement of export shipments of foods for the allies to southern ports to which they were diverted several days ago to avoid the eastern rail and harbor congestion.

To New England the flow of coal was better than yesterday and promised to improve further tomorrow. Conditions in Central Pennsylvania coal regions in the Pittsburgh district and in Ohio were reported improved.

West Virginia was still handicapped by high waters. Slight modification of temperature in Michigan heied the movement there today, altho the accumulation of general freight was reported only a little diminished.

DESIGNED BY MR. BUCKINGHAM

In a statement in Friday's Journal with reference to the new Methodist parsonage at Franklin the name of the architect was thru error omitted. C. W. Buckingham drew the plans and was the architect in charge of the construction.

ROBBERS VISIT CHICAGO SUMMER HOMES

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Search is being made today for trace of robbers who have entered the summer homes of wealthy Chicagoans along the north shore during the last week, taking much plate and other valuables. Ten residences in the vicinity of Highland Park and Ravina were entered among the number that of Julius Rosenwald. All the residences have been closed since last fall. Insurance adjusters are at work appraising the losses, it was announced today.

DEATHS REPORTED BY GENERAL PERSHING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—General Pershing today reported the following deaths from natural causes:

Corporal R. J. Burtis, Woodhaven, N. Y.

Private T. M. Dace, Tecumseh, Kans.; Albert Segerdel, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Madison L. Olds, Detroit; S. D. McLeod, Palms, Micch.; W. W. Benny, Willows, Cal.

Corporal P. O. Myers, Spokane, Wash.

Sergeant Wilson Hebel, Wyandotte, Mich.

Private Nestor L. Fredland, fractured skull, Ashtabula Harbor, Ohio; Private F. E. McKenny, gunshot wound, Whisler, Ohio.

Revised Figures

Latest Reports Show Forty-five Parisians Killed During Air Raid

PARIS, Feb. 1.—Forty-five persons were killed and 207 injured in the German air raid of Wednesday night, according to the latest revised figures today. Of these 31 persons were killed and 131 injured in Paris, while 14 were killed and 76 injured in the suburbs.

The killed include eleven women and five children.

The funeral of the victims of the raid will probably be held Sunday all expense being defrayed by the government. The city of Paris will allot burial plots in perpetuity without cost to the families of the victims.

Plan Production of One Anti-Sub Craft Each Day

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Production plans for the navy's new anti-submarine craft contemplate the delivery of a finished boat every day when the cycle of production is complete. The first vessel has already been started in the fabricating shops at the Ford motor plant at Detroit.

Construction will go by stages. To turn out a boat a day after the elapse of several months requires that a boat a day be started. Materials that go into construction are fed into one end of the plant as rapidly as it is planned to produce the completed product at the other.

The whole number of boats contracted for will be under production simultaneously at one stage. The design was worked out to reduce to a minimum the necessity of shipping plates. There are many flat surfaces to the vessel on that account, bent and curved plates having been avoided wherever possible. The power will be furnished by geared turbines and since stability and reliability was sought rather than freak performance, no effort has been made to go beyond a safe and conservative speed estimate.

The boats will all be fabricated at the Ford plant progressing by stages until they are launched in Lake Michigan to be brought to the sea via the canal system and inland waterways. They will measure 200 feet and displace 500 tons, which insures easy passage to the sea.

FIFTY ADVENTUROUS YOUNG MEN WANTED

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Fifty adventurous young men to operate four "tanks" are wanted by Major W. H. Allen of the 65th Infantry who opened a recruiting office here today.

Major Allen promises recruits all the thrills of the sea and the air, with the safety of dry land—that is, the safety which goes with breaking the way for the men who go "over the top."

"There is also unusual opportunity for promotion," Major Allen said, "as there are two non-commissioned officers to every private in the regiment which probably will be trained at an eastern camp. The men must enlist as privates but they will be selected for non-commissioned officers on the basis of merit and vacancies for commissioned officers will be filled by men in the ranks."

LIVESTOCK VALUES SHOW BIG INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1—A billion and a half dollars increase in the value of livestock on farms and ranges in the United States over their value a year ago, was reported today by the department of agriculture in its annual report. Total value of all such livestock was $8,263,524,000.

There was an increase in the number of cattle, other than milks cows amounting to 4.5 per cent compared with an increase of 4.2 per cent in calves; 22.7 per cent in heifers for milk; 8.5 per cent in other heifers; a decrease of 3.2 per cent in steers and and increase of 1.9 percent in other cattle.

Swine showed the largest increase in number over the previous year. It was 5.7 per cent; those over six months old increasing 5 per cent and under six months 7.8 per cent. For the first time swine were valued at more than a billion dollars. Their total value was 19.5 per cent more than the previous year.

Livestock in the United States on Jan. 1, was valuel at $8,263,524,000 the department of agriculture today announced. That was an increase of $1,527,912,000 over a year ago.

In numbers, horses have increased 353,000; mules increased 101,000; milk cows increased 390,000, other cattle increased 1,857,000; sheep increased 1,284,000 and swine increased 3,871,000.

WEAVERS STRIKE FOR INCREASED WAGES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1.—Cloth weavers employed in fifty mills in this city went on strike today for increased wages. The strike was ordered last night at a meeting of the cloth weavers' union and according to union leaders about five thousand workers responded to the call.

Many of the mills affected are working on government contracts.

The weavers struck several months ago and 32 mills, it was said at that time, signed new contracts.

The workers demand a fifteen per cent increase in wages in addition to the advance granted by the recent adjustment.

SENATORS FIX PERIOD OF U. S. ROAD OPERATION

Advocate Government Control for 18 Months After End of War

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Prospects of an early agreement in congress on the administration bill brightened today when members of the senate interstate commerce committee returned from a white house conference with word that the president did not desire to have the interstate commerce commission deprived of its rate making powers under government operation of the carriers.

Soon after the conference the committee wrote into the bill provisions limiting government control of railroads to eighteen months after the war and authorizing the president to initiate rates subject to appeal to the interstate commerce commission. The proposal which was adopted by a vote of 11 to 4, was a compromise of the committee's differences and eliminate the most serious obstacle to prompt enactment of the measure.

The agreement was prepared by a subcommittee consisting of Senators Robinson and Townsend to iron out the difficulties over the fixing of a period for government operation and opposition to giving the president power to fix rates.

Those voting in favor of the compromise were Senators Smith, chairman of South Carolina; Pomerene, Myers, Robinson, Saulsbury, Thompson, Lewis and Underwood, Democrats, and Townsend, Watson and Kellogg, Republicans. Those opposed were Senator Gore, Democrat, and Cummins, Poindexter and La-Follette, Republicans.

Before the agreement was submitted to the committee, it was taken to the white house by Chairman Smith and Senator Underwood.

As finally approved, the bill will provide that government control of transportation shall continue for eighteen months after the war terminates instead of "until congress shall thereafter order otherwise" as originally drawn, or for one year as provided by Senator Watson's amendment adopted earlier in the week. It gives the president authority to initiate rates, as the railroads are empowered to do under the existing laws, but if carriers or shippers object an appeal can be taken to the commission which will make the final decision. This power to initiate rates under the bill continues during the period of federal control instead of during the war as has been suggested.

A. & J. RAILROAD GOES OUT OF BUSINESS

Entire Property Will be Disposed of as Junk by its Owner.

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—The Alton & Jacksonville railroad with its 21 miles of standard gauge tracks connecting Alton and Jerseyville, Ill., went out of business today and the entire property will be disposed of as junk by its owner, John J. Cummings of Chicago. The last car to run over the line left Alton at midnight and wreckers were prepared to commence tearing up the track at Jerseyville early today.

The road, which is said to represent an original cost of $500,000 never succeeded as a financial venture and five years ago a protective committee of the bondholders forced a receivership. Later Cummings obtained the property. Cummings, learning that the property was worth more as junk at war prices than it cost originally, yesterday gave orders for stopping all cars today.

When the road was built in 1905 it was named the Alton, Jacksonville & Peoria railroad, the original intention being to operate between Alton and Jacksonville. Steam cars were used for many years but of late only trolley cars have run over the tracks.

BEWARE OF SPIES

Washington, Feb. 1.—Warning placards to beware of spies appeared today in the council of national defense offices with a significant notification that watchmen "have all the powers of a sentry on post."

"Don't talk about what you have done or are going to do," read the warning. "Enemy spies at home and abroad will draw you into arguments and attempt to entrap you into revealing information. Secrecy means safety."

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois—Fair and warmer Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy probably becoming unsettled north, somewhat warmer south.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:

Jacksonville	5	15	-3
Boston	12	22	14
Buffalo	2	4	-2
New York	12	20	14
New Orleans	52	58	48
Chicago	9	11	-5
Detroit	2	8	-8
Omaha	10	17	-10
Minneapolis	6	6	-26
Helena	16	20	-10
San Francisco	46	54	44
Winnipeg	-4	-8	-16

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An air cooled auto should have no trouble this zero weather.

The agricultural department says that the hen is a factor in these war times. When one buys an old hen or an egg he has ample proof.

German scientists are busy these days devising substitutes for almost everything in the way of food.

The Cleveland fuel administrator has decided that a cabaret is not an amusement. He must have been there.

Bismarck predicted that kaiser Wilhelm would bring ruin to Germany. The man of iron spoke wisely and perhaps truly.

The kaiser's "place in the sun" must be getting rather hot, judging from reports that escape the censor from that misgoverned land—Germany.

Flowers are blooming in Alaska while Jack Frost has frizzled up even the palmetto trees of the south and snows cover the magnolias in Texas. These are topsy-turvey times.

Ambassador Francis does not find his place in Russia a very pleasant one just now. We do not believe he is in personal danger, but subject to many petty annoyances because of the lack of a stable government in that country.

LIKE BEASTS.

Says Philip Scheidemann, famous leader of the majority Socialists in the reichstag: "There will aways be wars and the only question is whether men are to conduct them like beasts or like civilized human beings." Many German practices in the present war would be a disgrace even to beasts.

Capt. Arthur Radcliffe Dugmore, a military expert of the British army, declares, after seeing our soldiers in France, that "No more magnificient force than the American army in France was ever placed in the field." Nor that we have a greater number of men over there we may hear of their valor as well as of their looks.

Mayor Dineen of Decatur is urging the city to go into the electric lighting business. He says that "the cities that have done so have been able to give the consumers a lower rate and at the same time a handsome profit."

REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP.

The Republican national committee, at a meeting to be held in St. Louis on Feb. 12, will name a chairman of that body to succeed William R. Wilcox of New York, who resigned recently to accept a federal position under designation of Secretary of Treasury McAdoo. The new chairman will serve until after the Republican national convention in 1920. The party will need the very best material available. A great deal depends on the wisdom of the leadership. The responsibility will be very great.

MOTOR FIRE EQUIPMENT SHOWS ITS WORTH.

These are the days when people are impressed with the value of motor driven fire equipment. Those who have paid attention to fire department records during recent weeks know full well that without these motor trucks a number of disastrous fires would in all probability have occurred in Jacksonville. The prompt arrival of the trucks before flames have gained much headway makes it possible to extinguish them with chemicals. It it were not possible to make quick runs the chemical extinguishers would not avail and as there is no surplus water available for fighting it is easy to understand just what might have been the condition without this motor driven fire apparatus.

WAIT UNTIL CALLED.

Secretary Baker remarks that the time for calling the next draft has not been fixed. Just now the authorities have not got around to this; it is because the thing is pretty far in advance.

It is mentioned from time to time that several who are near the front in the next call have in a way packed their knapsacks and are waiting for it. Some have thrown up positions.

Nothing of this kind should be done. If you are on the next list just wait until there is a call. It is said that of the last draft there are still 140,000 young men in their home towns. They were notified they would soon be wanted, and yet it may be that some of them will never go to the front.

Say that you expect to be in the next list. At least you will have to wait until this 140,000 left over from the latest draft are taken care of. And when that is done how soon will more men be needed?

We are told that we now have in France and in course of preparation for service more than a million and a half men. There are whispers that it will be well toward the end of the present year before the country will have the ships to get this million and a half to France.

It looks as if it will be several months before another draft is ordered; it is possible it will not come until the latter part of the year. So you will do well to stick close to your work you now have in hand. Don't get yourself on a waiting list with nothing much to do to fill in the time. Stick to what you are doing until the order comes to move on to camp. Don't try to anticipate something that is as uncertain as this order. Even Secretary Baker will not undertake to say when it is to come.

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

GROUNDHOG DAY

Now Groundhog Day, my friends, is here, most fateful day of all the year. The groundhog has all phophets skinned who fuss with maps and measure wind, who multiply the world's distress with bughouse forecasts in the press. The groundhog scorns all lows and highs; he views the landscape and the skies, and if the weather's bright and fair, with signs of springtime everywhere, he crawls right back into his hole, and sighs, "O winter, let her roll! There'll still be snow and ice to burn—you cannot fool me worth a dern!" But if the skies are overcast, and there's a chill and wintry blast, the groundhog says, "I'll stay outdoors, and start to do my vernal chores. Old Boreas has came and went—he cannot fool me worth a cent." The groundhog's grammar may be punk, but his predictions are not bunk. As we grow old our faith declines in goosebones and other signs; and human prophets make us sore—they don't guess right one time in four, and they are guessing every day, until they guess their lives away. The groundhog, most retiring seer, hands out a guess but once a year, with moderation most sublime, and hits the bullseye every time.

WATER SAVING
must be kept up to a still greater extent. We must accumulate some reserve for fire fighting.
JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

CHIMNEY FIRE.

The fire department was called to the residence of E. L. Killiam, 1008 Grove street at 7:15 o'clock Friday evening. A burning chimney was throwing sparks on the roof and it looked for a time that a serious fire might result. No damage was done, however and the services of the department were not needed.

CAFETERIA REALLY WAR FOOD SHOW

Trinity Women Have Double Purpose in Extensive Plans Made for Today.

The women of Trinity church have made extensive preparations for a conservation cafeteria at hte Guild house today. A war time menu will be ready for service from 12 to 12:30 and from 5 to 7 o'clock. This will be the first of a series of conservation dinners and suppers served by various churches in Jacksonville and thruout the county. The Guild hall has been very appropriately decorated for the day and various mottoes and slogans relating to food conservation and the war are conspicuous.

One slogan reads "Food will win the war—do your bit with every bite," and another gives this commandment: "Remember the wheatless and meatless days to keep them wholly." Still another motto says: "Eat your war bread now or German black bread later." All who visit the hall will no doubt read this motto: "The allies need food, men and supplies, but the greatest of these is food." There also are various placards issued by the national food administration and also a series of posters which was sent by the local schools to the food show in Chicago.

A Double Purpose.

Altogether the cafeteria has a double purpose. The women of Trinity will of course anticipate liberal attendance and consequently some profit, and they are also hoping that those who attend will find new interest in the cooking possibilities of war time recipes. One chart gives in simple form a list of meat substitutes and literature will be available for all comers, giving accurate information as to how government directions and suggestions with reference to cookery saving may be accomplished and still leave the daily menus nutritious and attractive. Liberty cook books issued by the state council of defense will be on sale at 10 cents and Hoover conservation cards will be available for those who have not thus far signed them.

Mrs. Parker Doan, who is chairman of the woman's food conservation committee for the county, has been active in arranging the mottoes and literature for the cafeteria, with the end in view of making this the first of a series of such church affairs.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 1

Supt. Vasconcellos Sends Letter of Instruction to Teachers Thruout County.

H. H. Vasconcellos, county superintendent of schools, has recently sent the teachers thruout the county announcement of the central examination to be held Friday, March 1. In this letter the superintendent outlines the plan to be followed and makes various suggestions. The letter reads as follows:

The Central Examination for the year 1918 will be held Friday, March 1st. This examination will be conducted by the teacher. The pupils taking the work in their own schools. The questions will be sent from this office. The teachers will grade the papers and report the results on blanks which will be furnished for that purpose.

The Final will be held on Friday April 5th. Further announcement of this examination will be made later.

These examinations are intended for only those pupils who have completed all the different years' work from the first to the eighth inclusive. The questions will be based principally on the seventh and eighth years' work; but questions will not be be asked on those parts which the pupils have not had opportunity to study.

Questions will be prepared on Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, U. S. History, Spelling, Physiology and Agriculture. The mark made in Reading in the Central, will be accepted as the Reading mark in the Final. Questions in Reading will be based on the selections used in the bi-monthly examinations for this school year.

In grading papers the teachers are urged to mark closely. Papers should be marked for just what they are worth—no more, no less. Do not encourage weak pupils to believe that they are ready for the Final by marking too generously in the Central I am,

Yours very truly,
H. H. Vasconcellos

CITY AND COUNTY

Charles Potter of Lynnville paid the city a business visit Friday.

Mrs. D. R. Crum of Virgina was a local shopper yesterday.

R. R. Harris traveled from Pisgah to the city yesterday.

Green peppers . Douglas.

T. G. Beeley of Meredosia was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Roy Miner of Tallula made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Everything for health and comfort, cheapest at Knoles'.

Mrs. Edgar Vasey was a city shopper from Woodson yesterday.

David M. Crum was down to the city from Cass county yesterday.

Richelieu coffee. Douglas.

W. E. Asplund of Franklin was one of the city's visitors yesterday.

Grover Whitlock was a city arrival from Murrayville yesterday.

J. C. Brown was a city arrival from Meredosia yesterday.

Richelieu coffee. Douglas.

Charles E. Grady of Meredosia was a caller in the city yesterday.

J. E. Wolford made a trip from Bluffs to the city yesterday.

T. E. Watts of Peoria was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Self of Woodson was a Jacksonville shopper Friday.

William Flynn of Buckhorn was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Leslie Gilliland of Meredosia made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Richelieu coffee. Douglas.

Henry Reese of Woodson was looking after matters in the city yesterday.

E. W. Hyatt of Peoria was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

C. W. Fisher of Effingham was calling on Jacksonville acquantances yesterday.

David Fuller of Dubuque, Iowa, was a visitor with Jacksonville people yesterday.

H. N. Blalock made a business trip from Springfield to the city yesterday.

E. A. Sorrells of Peoria was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Big game of season, Springfield vs. Jacksonville, David Prince gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

J. E. Angus of Bloomington was numbered among the business men in the city yesterday.

L. W. Cline of Decatur was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Elmer Savage of Tallula was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Clark Stevenson of the vicinity of Orleans rode to the city in his Buick car yesterday.

Carl West of the neighborhood of Antioch traveled to town in his Buick car yesterday.

J. W. Breckon of Macoupin county was renewing old acquaintances in the city yesterday.

W. W. Henderson of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Herman Black made a business trip from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

Conservation Cafeteria Trinity Guild House, Feb. 2, 12 to 2; 5 to 7.

W. T. Craig of the vicinity of Woodson made a trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Flynn helped represent Buckhorn in the city yesterday

Mrs. Benton Davenport of Pisgah was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

J. T. Miner of Tallula was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Henry Rees of Clemens station was among the city arrivals yesterday.

B. F. Buchanan of Pisgah was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Dr. G. O. Webster of Murrayville was a visitor with city people yesterday.

Dressed chickens. Douglas.

Grover Caldwell of Franklin was among the callers on city friends yesterday.

Edward Reynolds of the south part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

George Megginson was a representative of Woodson in the city yesterday.

D. M. Crum of Virginia was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

E. L. Clark of Literberry made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Conservation Cafeteria Trinity Guild House, Feb. 2, 12 to 2; 5 to 7.

Mrs. John Murray of Buckhorn made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

Fred Milligan of Lynnville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Richard Stanley of Joy Prairie was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Benjamin Cully of Joy Prairie was called to the city by business affairs yesterday.

O. O. Swope of Beardstown was among the callers on Jacksonville people yesterday.

George Taylor of the vicinity of Woodson was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Dressed chickens. Douglas.

Mrs. E. F. Simpson of Alexander precinct was a city arrival yesterday.

William Sitton of the southwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

W. J. McNear and wife were representatives of Naples in the city yesterday.

E. P. Ludwig of Alexander was attracted to the city by business interests yesterday.

Miss Mary Murray of Woodson was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Star cream cheese. Douglas.

Mrs. H. H. Gilpin of Waverly spent some time shopping with local merchants Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Virgin of Woodson paid the city a brief visit Friday.

Mrs. Eben Crum of Cass county was numbered among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Welsh of Buckhorn were among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Misses Mollie Doolin and Jessie Steinmetz of Woodson spent Thursday night with friends in Beardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Doane of Pleasant Hill, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Doane on Grove street for several days, left yesterday for Orient, Ohio, to visit their daughter.

Judge Norman Jones of Carrollton was in the city yesterday for a few hours while enroute to Springfield.

Mrs. Guy Lawson and baby of Savannah, Ga., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lawson, east of the city. Her husband has been here for some time and they expect to make their home in this county.

SPECIAL TODAY ONLY
Peanut Brittle, 18c Pound.
MULLENIX & HAMILTON

BOY SCOUTS HELD JOINT MEETING

The three troops of boy scouts of this city met in a joint meeting at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday evening, Feb. 1st. A fine supper was served by the ladies of the State Street Presbyterian church and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The boys gave a few lifting yells to show their appreciation of the good meal which was served them .

After supper Scoutmaster Darr called the meeting to order after which the "Scout Oath" and the Lord's Prayer were repeated and the flag saluted.

Mr. Weber then explained about the work on the thrift stamp campaign which must be done, and the part the Boy Scout must do. He reminded us of our motto, "Every time you lick a stamp you lick the kaiser."

Mr. Weddel spoke of the Boy Scout basketball league which is to be organized and plans were made for a meeting of representatives from each troop to decide about the games, etc.

Several demonstrations by different scouts were then witnessed by the scouts.

Mr. Potter then spoke briefly in connection with the thrift stamp campaign.

Scout Lindley Williamson then read an original poem, entitled "The German Nobility's Visit to the Hot Place."

The meeting was then dismissed.

The poem follows:

The Kaiser, he went to the regions below
Anr sssssss he gently fried
The Demons they poked him with three forked sticks
Till he shed forth tears and cried.

The Devil marched in and knelt on the ground
Then rose and gave him a kiss
And handed over his kingly crown
And the Kaiser did slowly his.

The Crown Prince came in with the nobility
And wriggled his tail and horns
And all the Monarchs in the universe
Filed in and stepped on his corns.

Well, we didn't get them after all—
The Kaiser started out
And he hissed and groaned and kicked
When "Old Uncle Sam" started into the fight
"We must admit that we are badly licked."

Basketball Today

The David Prince Basketball league tournament will open this morning. All teams are reported fit and some close contests are anticipated.

FOR SALE SEED CORN.

Pride of the Nishna Valley. For particulars call or write Ed Duvendack, Meredosia, Ill., Route 1.

COLD WEATHER SAVES THOUSANDS FOR FARMERS.

While the continued cold weather has caused suffering in many quarters and inconvenience in others, no doubt there are many benefits accruing from both the snow and the weather. John W. Clary of the City elevator said yesterday that there is no question but that a long stretch of cold weather has saved thousands of dollars for farmers who have soft corn. While the mercury hovers around zero corn which is soft in warmer weather remains solid and will stand shipment to the markets in good condition.

This same corn if normal weather conditions had prevailed, would in many cases not have been in condition for shipment to the markets or if shipped would have been subjected to sharp reductions in quality. There was such an unusual amount of soft corn thruout Illinois and other corn producing states that it is easy to understand how beneficial the long period of cold weather has been to the farmers in dollars and cents even if it has brought discomfort and hardship to others.

Star cream cheese. Douglas.

Savings Deposits

made during the first ten days of February will bear interest from the First of the month.

Elliott State Bank

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$2.35
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GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Monday and Wednesday, February 4th and 6th
TWO SHOWS DAILY
BOYLE WOOLFOLK
—Presents His Latest Revue—
"The Twentieth Century Whirl"

Staged under the personal direction of Boyle Woolfolk. Musical numbers staged by Virgil Bennett. Music by Woolfolk & Rice. Book by John P. Mulgrew

—Featuring—
GRACE GIBSON, WALTER POULTER and JOE ROLLEY
Assisted by a Company of 25

9 Big Scenes - All Special Scenery

Feature Picture for Monday
"The Adopted Son"
Five Reel Metro Starring
Francis X. Bushman
—Also—
THE MUTUAL WEEKLY

SEATS ON SALE MONDAY, 9 A. M.

PRICES—Matinee, any seat 25 cents. Night, seats reserved, entire lower floor, 35c; first two rows balcany, 35c; last five rows balcony, 25c; gallery. 15c.
AFTERNOON—Pictures, 2:00 o'clock; Show, 3:30.
NIGHT—Pictures, 7:30; Show, 9:00 o'clock.

Wednesday's Picture—"CASSIDY", a five reel Triangle, featuring DICK ROSSON. Also Keystone Comedy, "A ROYAL ROGUE"

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

TODAY
THREE BIG ACTS OF VAUDEVILLE
CRAIG & MEEKER
"Maybe You're Right"
HARRY LARNED AND EMMIE KAUFMAN
Nonsense on Wheels
VIRGINIA FAIR
Singing and Dancing—The Girl Who Writes Her Own Songs
FEATURE PICTURE
"REPUTATION"
Five Reel Mutual
—with—
EDNA GOODRICH
10 and 20c
THREE SHOWS TODAY
Pictures—2, 6:30, 8:30
Vaudeville—3:30, 7:45, 9:45

SCOTT'S THEATRE

TODAY
Broadway Star Feature
CARLTON KING
—in—
AN O. HENRY STORY
"LITTLE SPECK IN GARNERED FRUIT"
MOLLIE KING
—and—
CREIGHTON HALE
—in—
"THE SEVEN PEARLS"
BILLY WEST
—in—
A TWO REEL COMEDY
5c and 10c
Plus One Cent War Tax

COMING
Monday—MARY PICKFORD
—in—
"Romance of the Redwoods"

BAKER'S COCOA has great food value

THE food value of cocoa has been proven by centuries of use, and dietitians and physicians the world over are enthusiastic in their endorsements of it. It is said to contain more nourishment than beef, in a more readily assimilated form. The choice, however, should be a high-grade cocoa,—"Baker's" of course.

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It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, blotches, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. A little zemo, obtained at any drug store for 35c, or $1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

Zemo is a wonderful, penetrating, disappearing liquid and is soothing to the most delicate skin. It is not greasy, is easily applied and costs little. Get it today and save all further distress.

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HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it 24 Tablets for 25c.

At Any Drug Store

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young — to do this you must watch your liver and bowels — there's no need of having a sallow complexion — dark rings under your eyes — pimples — a bilious look in your face — dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.

You will know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets by their olive color. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Cough Nearly Gone in 24 Hours

That's the usual experience with this home-made remedy. Costs little—try it.

Anyone who tries this pleasant tasting home-made cough syrup, will quickly understand why it is used in more homes in the United States and Canada than any other cough remedy. The way it takes hold of an obstinate cough, giving immediate relief, will make you regret that you never tried it before. It is a truly dependable cough remedy that should be kept handy in every home, to use at the first sign of a cough during the night or day time.

Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex (60 cents worth). Pour this into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. The total cost is about 65 cents and you have a full pint of the most effective remedy you ever used.

The quick, lasting relief you get from this excellent cough syrup will really surprise you. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, and is famous the world over for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

THE COMING OF CHRIST WILL BE SERMON THEME

Dr. W. E. Spoonts Will Preach Last in Series of Special Sermons Sunday Morning.

Rev. Walter E. Spoonts will preach the last sermon in the series on the "Signs of the Times as to the Coming Again of Christ," at the Northminster Presbyterian church Sunday morning. The following is an outline of the sermon:

First—The fact of His coming. John 14:3; Heb. 9:28; Phil. 3:20-21; 1 Thes. 4:16-17; Acts 3:19-20.

Jesus Christ is coming again. Note 1. This coming again of Christ is not at the death of the believer. He does not come again at death "with a shout," etc. Those who are alive and remain are not caught up, etc. at the death of the individual believers (John 14:3 and 1 Thes. 4:16-17) manifestly refer to some event. They are exactly parallel in the three facts states. 1. The "will come again" of Jesus equals the "The Lord Himself shall descend from heaven" of Paul. 2. The "Receive you unto myself" of Jesus equals the "Shall be caught up in the clouds to meet the Lord" of Paul. 3. The "That where I am, there ye shall be also" of Jesus equals the "So shall we ever be with the Lord" of Paul. Paul's words are manifestly an inspired commentary on those of Jesus, and the reference of the words of Jesus to His coming at death is thus made impossible. John 21:22. "Jesus saith unto him, if I will that ye tarry till I come, what is that to thee? Follow thou me," shows how utterly impossible it is to make Christ's coming refer to death. "If I will that ye tarry," evidently means, "If I will that ye remain alive." Now put Christ's coming at the the believers death and you get this nonsense: "If you will that ye remain alive until he die, what is that to thee?"

Note 2.—The "coming a gain" in the verses above is not the coming of Christ at the coming of the Holy Spirit. That is, in a very real and important sense, a coming of Christ. This appears from John 14:15-18, "If ye love me keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father," etc.

All of these promises but one (John 14:3) were made after the coming of the Holy Spirit and pointed to a coming still future. Jesus does not receive us to Himself to be with Him at the coming of the Holy Spirit. At the coming of the Holy Spirit He comes to be with us (John 14:18, 21-23), at His coming again mentioned in John 14:3; 1 Thes. 16-17, He takes us to be with Him. He does not at His coming in the Spirit "Fashion anew the body of our humiliation, that it may be conformed to the body of His glory." Phil. 3:20-21.) There is no trump of the archangel, no shout, no resurrection, at this coming of Christ. In other words, this coming in scarcely any particular conforms to the plain and explincit statements of Christ and the Apostles concerning His coming again.

Note 3.—The "coming again" mentioned in the verses above was not at the destruction of Jerusalem as some have said. The destruction of Jerusalem was in a sense the prophecy and type of the judgment at the end of the Age, and therefore in Matt. 24 and Mark 13 the two events are described in connection with each other. But God's judgment on Jerusalem is manifestly not the event referred to in the text given above. On that occasion those who sleep in Jesus were not raised, living believers were not caught up to meet the Lord in the air, the bodies of believers were not transformed. Years after the destruction of Jerusalem we find John still looking forward to the Lord's coming. (Rev. 22:20.) See also John 21:22-23. These words were written years after the destruction of Jerusalem. Not any of these events, nor all of them together, nor any other event that has yet occurred fulfills the very plain, explicit and definite predictions of Christ and the Apostles regarding Christ's coming again.

The manner of Christ's coming again. It is very evident that the coming again of Jesus Christ has various steps or stages. First stage: In the air wither His believing people are caught up to meet Him. 1 Thes. 4:16-17; Matt. 25:31-32; 2 Thes. 2:7-8; Zech. 14:4-5.

Second stage: To the earth. In this latter stage His saints come with Him. 1 Thes. 3:13; Col. 3:4; 1 Thes. 4:14.

In the air Christ comes for His own; to the earth He comes with them. For anything we know a considerable interval may take place between these two stages of the Lord's coming. Luke 21:36 and 2 Thes. 2:7-8, seem to hint that the whole period of the great tribulation intervenes between the coming of Jesus in the air for His earthly saints and his coming to the earth with His scaints. There are not, however, two comings, but two stages in the one coming. Bearing in mind the distinction between these two will help to solve many of the seeming discrepancies between different tents of the Bible on this subject.

FOR SUNDAY DINNER
Pork Tenderloin at White Pig Market.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

Meetings at the Salvation Army hall, 114 E. College street, as follows: Saturday at 8:00 p. m., praise service; Sunday morning at 11:00, Holiness meeting; Sunday, 2:30 p. m., Sunday school, all poor children invited; 6:15 p. m., Young People's Legion; evening service at 8:00.

Soldiers' meeting on Tuesday at 8:00, (for soldiers only). Public meeting Thursday at 8:00 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Lieutenats H. I. Ryan and F. B. Owens officers in charge.

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ARENZVILLE

Rev. Humphrey of Decatur preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday, both morning and evening.

Miss Cora Hierman and Mr. Harry Hierman returned to their home in Browning after attending the funeral of their aunt, the late Mrs. Theodore Heirman.

J. A. Week and daughter, Maud accompanied by Miss Hazel McCarty enjoyed a sleigh ride to Concord Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Titus and daughter of Concord visited Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Irving.

Herschel Schaefer returned to his home in Beardstown after a few days visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. Bollhorst is making arrangements to move on a farm west of town, where he will farm the coming season.

Miss Zelma Hackman returned to her home in Jacksonville after several days visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ed Pfeil of Astoria is spending the week with Mrs. Irving and family.

Mr. Alexander, wife and children of Grace Chapel neighborhood spent Sunday with Mr. Ray and family.

Big game of season, Springfield vs. Jacksonville, David Prince gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

BRIEF PARAGRAPHS FROM MEREDOSIA

News of the Doings of Residents of Meredosia and Vicinity.

Meredosia, Feb. 1.—Mrs. J. B. Peckham of Waverly was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Arnett Tuesday.

F. W. Brockhouse was a business visitor in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Owen Winningham has returned to Springfield after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winningham.

Wilbur Rawson of Waverly spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Arnett.

Edward Duvendack spent Wednesday at the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall and children returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mrs. W. D. Meier was a Jacksonville visitor Wednesday.

Edward Dennis of Chambersburg spent Wednesday in this place.

Rev. P. A. Soerensen, wife and children of Bluffs were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kappal Tuesday.

Clyde McAllister was among the Jacksonville visitors from this place Wednesday.

Luther Cline spent Monday with relatives in Jacksonville.

Wm. Roegge and W. H. Fricke were among those who spent Monday in Jacksonville. The latter went for physical examination for service.

Mrs. Joe Hoffman has been ill for the past two weeks and is yet confined to her bed.

Bennie Gilliland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gilliland was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis and was taken to the hospital in Jacksonville that evening and operated on for the same. The operation was successful and the child is doing nicely.

Dr. F. A. Nevill went to Jacksonville Wednesday to attend the funeral of Dr. Edward Duncan.

Edward Rausch was a Jacksonville visitor Wednesday.

Jimmie Smith who has been stationed at a camp at Augusta, Ga., has been transferred to Camp Merritt in New Jersey.

Albert Butcher was a business visitor in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Campbell have had as their guests this week Miss Ina Markillie and Miss Bruce of Winchester.

Among the Jacksonville visitors from this place Wednesday were W. H. Ayers, O. W. Wilcox, Dave Leonhard, Edward Pond and son Lee and C. H. Kappal.

Henry Naylor and wife left Wednesday for Springfield where the latter will enter a hospital for an operation.

Mrs. Jennie Bonnett of Chicago visited her brother Wm. Wilday on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Franklin, the little four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Van Hyning fell Monday and broke his collar bone.

Mrs. Henry Wax and baby of Markham has been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bollyard.

Miss Ruth Scott of Bluffs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott Tuesday and Wednesday.

George Williams who has been night watchman on the steamer Peoria at Paducah, Ky., arrived home Thursday. He witnessed the destruction of the Eagle Packet company's steamers by the ice gorge at that city this week.

Annonucements have been received by friends here of the marriage of Mr. Raymond Hyde and Miss Gladys Margaret Hyde at Medina, O., on Saturday, Jan. 12, 1918. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hyde of this place. He grew to manhood here and had been employed as compositor in The Budget printing office until a few months ago when he left for Medina, O., to accept a similar position. He afterwards accepted a position in a railroad office in Barberton, O. He is an energetic young man of sterling character and has the best wishes of his many friends here for a happy wedded life. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hyde of Medina and has many friends in that city. They will reside at Barberton, O.

John Steinberg and Arthur Russwinkle were Jacksonville visitors Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Simpson of Ashland were numbered among the city shoppers yesterday.

OBSERVES NINETIETH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Catherine Applebee Celebrates Anniversary in Appropriate Manner—Wife of Former Methodist Minister Has Lived in Many Cities—Active Worker in Methodist Church for Seventy Years.

Mrs. Catherine Applebee of 505 West State street, celebrated her ninetieth birthday February first, 1918. She was born February first, 1828, in Pennsylvania, being the third child of John and Eliza Gardner. When Catherine was a mere child her mother died in Pennsylvania, and in a few years the father married and moved to LaHarpe, Hancock county, Illinois, where the step-mother died when Catherine was about six years of age. The subject of this sketch married when twenty one the Rev. Benjamin Applebee, who was then the senior pastor of the Carthage circuit in the Methodist Episcopal church. To them were born two girls and two boys. Mary M. Spencer, the eldest, who is now living with her son, George Spencer, at Calsbad, New Mexico, Dr. J. O. Applebee, with whom she makes her home in Jacksonville, John Wilbur, who died in his third year in the city of Peoria, and Myrta Belle McKee, youngest, and who resides in San Diego, California.

Many Descedants

Grandmother Applebee has had ten grandchildren, one, the eldest son of Mrs. Mary M. Spencer being dead. The youngest granddaughter is Ruth Mildred Applebee, sister of Dr. Alpha B. Applebee of this city, and the only daughter of Dr. J. O. and Ella B. Applebee of Jacksonville.

Her great grandchildren numbered twenty one, all of whom excepting two, are living.

About three months ago she recieved notice that she had a great, great grand child, and was requestde to send her photograph to complete the picture of five generations.

Religously she has been all of her life, since girlhood, a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and an active worker for seventy years. She has ben for nearly fifty years a life member of the Foreign Missionary society of the church of her choice; but has never ceased paying thereto each year $10.00.

Being a great reader time has never hung heavily on her hands. She has read the Bible thru, "from cover to cover" regularly each year during the last sixty-nine years; and in connection with this reading has sung thru the Methodist hymnal as many times.

She has always had her home open to the ministers and has exerted an influence for good in many towns in which she lived. While the helpmate of a Methodist minister, she lived in the following towns: LaHarpe, Monmouth, Macomb, New Albany, Abingdon, Galesburg, Henry, Hennepin, Lacon, Washington, Peoria, Kewanee, Altona, Farmington, Towanda, Vermont, Washburn, Hamilton; and after her husband's death at Canton and Cuba, and Red Oak, Iowa and Imperial Beach, California.

Frail But Strong

While never weighing over one hundred pounds she has been, for fifty years, an unusually healthy person; and is, on her ninetieth birthday, enjoying the best of health. Being quite hard of hearing she remains more at home where she enjoys reading books that she has read time and time again until they have become like old friends to her. Slight suggestions of people and places refreshes her "failing" memory.

Self denial was practiced by herself and husband in their earlier ministry in order to contribute to the struggling schools of their church. Among others they had helped was the Illinois Conference Female College of Jacksonville, Illinois, in which they held a life scholarship.

In those earlier days they probably never thought that their youngest granddaughter, Ruth Mildred Applebee, would some day be among the alumnae of that institution or its successor, she having been graduated in piano from Illinois Woman's College in June, 1917.

Contgratulations from many friends of years gone by have been pouring in for many days from Central Illinois and other states.

A regular methodist minister's dinner was served which necessarily included the popular chicken with other good things. At this meal gathered with great great grandmother Applebee, were her son and wife, Dr. J. O. Applebee, Dr. Alpha B. Applebee and wife, and the great grandson, Alpha Wadsworth Applebee, representing four generations with the Applebee name, the fifth generation represented by the great, great granddaughter, recently born to Harold Gard and wife of Kansas, grandchildren of Mrs. Mary M. Spencer, eldest child of Catherine Applebee.

WATER SAVING
must be kept up to a still greater extent. We must accumulate some reserve for fire fighting.
JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS,
Commissioner

ANOTHER ALARM

Shortly before two yesterday afternoon the fire department was called to Mrs. S. M. Miller's Hat Shop on West State street west of the Farrell Bank building. The cause of the trouble was a flue burning out and some smoke entered the building but the services of the department were not needed tho they arrived very promptly.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will hold a public sale at my farm, 8 miles south of Jacksonville and 1 mile east of Woodson on Monday, Feb. 4th, commencing at 10 a. m., horses and mules, cows, implements, feed and grain.

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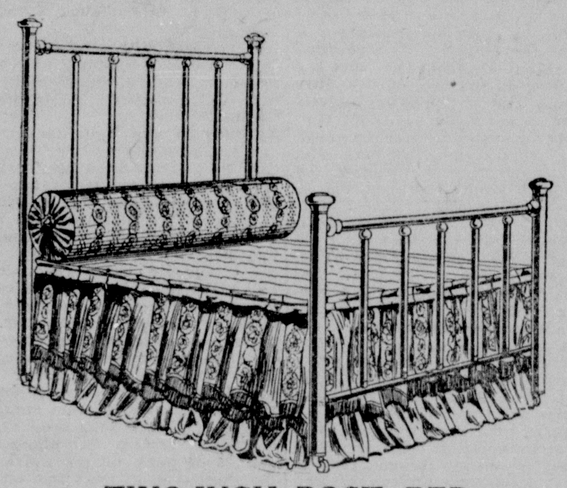

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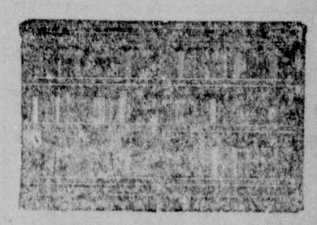

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HAVE CUSTODIAN IN CHARGE OF PROPERTY

W. W. Green Placed in Charge of Oak Lawn Property Recently Purchased by Sanitorium Board—Will Ask State Board of Health for Plans.

The Morgan county Anti-tuberculosis Sanitorium board has taken possession of the property recently purchased from J. Thompson and Dr. Annette Sharpe. The board has installed W. W. Green as custodian who will remain in charge for the present.

The board has plans of the building and Dr. Grace Dewey will go to Springfield probably the first of the week to submit them to the state board of health. The plans will be referred to the state architect and he will then recommend the changes necessary to convert the building into a modern sanitorium.

William Batz, president of the board said last night that while possession of the property had been given it was only under a contract and that the deed would not be delivered until May 1. He also said that it would probably be several months before the property would be ready for the purpose for which it is intended.

It has been thought by some that the board probably would dispose of a portion of the land secured in the purchase. Asked about this Mr. Batz said it was purposed to keep all the land and that which was not necessary for use for the sanitorium probably would be leased and that it might perhaps be decided that the board would retain control and farm it.

Leo Raymond of Bluffs was a caller on city people yesterday.

PUBLIC SALE

On account of not being able to secure pasture, I will offer for sale at my residence, 1406 West Lafayette Ave., corner of Finley and West Lafayette Ave., and one block north of Deaf and Dumb

MONDAY, FEB. 4, 1918

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1 Brindle Cow, fresh.
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2 Red Heifer Calves, 4 weeks old.

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PORK PRODUCTION FACTS FOR WAR TIME STUDIES

F. E. Drury Made Excellent Address at Urbana Conference Crop and Livestock Production.

At the war conference of corn growers and stockmen which has been in progress at Urbana for several days, F. E. Drury yesterday made an address on "War Time Pork Production." As previously stated, this conference was arranged under direction of the state council of Defense and continued from Jan. 28 thru Feb. 1. Those who have attended the conferense have stated that it has been the most notable event of the kind ever held in Illinois. Public men and agriculturists thruout the stat have been in attendance and the discussion with reference to food production has been of a valuable kind.

As stated yesterday, it was the full intention of President Wilson to attend this conference but it was finally decided impracticable for him to leave Washington with railroad service in its present disturbed condition. Instead, he sent a letter outlining his views, which was published in the newspapers yesterday. Mr. Drury's wide experience in pork production made his address of special interest. He spoke as follows:

In this world war for Democracy, we as representative American producers come together in a new capacity, a war conference of Defense. In this we are unifying the efforts of the State Council of Defense and the College of Agriculture with the purpose of studying the best approved methods for the economic intensification in the production and conservation of food stuffs for the world.

With Victory seemingly dependent upon sufficient sustenance for man power, with production at a low ebb the world over and with the greatest unmolested productive area in the world today, we find ourselves virtually responsible for Victory or Defeat. This is the supreme test of America's agricultural patriotism. Can the American farmer respond to the call not only of his own country but of the whole world? The eyes of every nation are on the corn belt farmer of the U. S. Is he sufficiently able to respond to the call of increased production and at the same time hold his time honored place in ranks at the front? The percentage of volunteers from the farm has always been in the lead of any other vocation. The agriculturist objects to being called a slacker. He does not feel that his record deserves such a title. Should not the man who is practically drafted to back the boys at the front with produce be equally respected patriotically? Our trained and experienced young agriculturists can ill be spared from the ranks of production if we are to accomplish the demands of war. Authorized recognition of such a producer as a servant of the nation would add a quieting influence to the field of agriculture and a concentration of undivided and unified effort that would add very materially to increased production. Our job is so large that it is hard to conceive its magnitude. We only know in general that we must all concentrate on the most important things first. A practical illustration of concentrated effort is shown in the recent Garfield order to coal the ships at the coast first of all. As farmers, we are well trained in the method of action for in this we find the keynote of the life on the farm. What is to be done first?

Plans Should be Well Laid

Lay well the plan. Do things in season and do them well are axioms for the now.

Our Major General of Food Production, Mr. Hoover, under whose orders we are now all marching, has courteously asked for suggestions from the producers in order to enable him with his close advisors to formulate plans that will control the present situation and become effective in future production.

At the Waterloo conference our committee recommended a ratio between the market price of corn and hogs of fourteen to one which was soon verified and endorsed by the Iowa Agricultural College meeting of farmers of that state. This ratio was virtually the findings and recommendations of the special meat committee appointed by Mr. Hoover later. Both committees basing their findings on records of prices and consequent production as discovered by a study of the history of markets and finally allowing for the prospective necessary increase in production. They also recommended immediate and timely action that would check the market runs of immature stock. Results of this action and advice while they were modified by the Food Administration have been very apparent as the minimum price of the 1917 crop and the ratio set for the 1918 crop of hogs gave the assurance to the producer that he would not lose his corn crop by feeding it to hogs. Immature hogs were kept at home and more sows are being bred for spring farrowing.

We are over five million hogs short of last years production and must increase our production some twenty five per cent to fill the demand, fifteen per cent of which is to get us back to normal. This ratio fixed as records figure will bring us up to normal. Now we must either work conservation for the other ten per cent or bring our producing public spirit of patriotism up some ten per cent to fill the gap.

Every farmer and feeder should be brought to realize the importance of his responsibilities in conserving and producing food supply.

World Sitting at Farmer's Table

The world is now sitting at the farmers table and willing to pay board.

The government offers him a helping hand in an attempt to stabilize prices.

He is also assurred that the goods will be delivered if produced.

The fact stands out clearly that pork is the most concentrated form of food for man obtainable from the farm.

Hence, every effort of conservation in the use of the supply of raw material on hands to produce this product will materially aid in winning the war.

A Study of the Fall Market Runs

What have the feeders been doing this fall? They have been urged to keep their hogs and make them heavier. An average of four months run at Kansas City market shows nearly a ten per cent increase in the average weight but also shows about thirty four per cent decrease in numbers marketed, however, the increase in weight brings the shortage down to about twenty seven per cent. The decrease in numbers at the five principal markets amount to about thirteen per cent, with about eight pounds increase in average weight.

From a conservation standpoint the feeders have thus been at work already in trying to place more pounds of pork on the market out the short crop of hogs now on hand. So much for what has been accomplished, now as to the future.

With a short stock of brood sows on hand and many of them gilts for later farrowing it behooves us to study all possible lines of action to conserve the coming pig crop. A well worked out marking system to be used at breeding time to make possible the selection of the sows at the proper time for the farrowing pen is a conservation of not only hogs for market but a large feed bill against the sow at the present price of feed and concentrates. To be able to allow the sow to run loose and obtain necesasry exercise up to the time just prior to her natural desire to prepare for farrowing herself and yet to not allow her to do so, is quite a fine point in the hog business. When once in the pen at the proper time, and that to my notion is just when she is about ready to prepare her bed and no later. She will then be quiet and docile and will take to the new quarters naturally. Otherwise, no common pen will hold a sow that has commenced to care for herself, having been left a few hours too long. Of course, we all understand the necessity of proper feeding while confined in the pen and the fact that no feed is necessary for a day after farrowing and above all things as much quiet as possible in the farrowing pens. Quite often I find a helpful method in the use of screens or flags made of old gunny sacks nailed to a board hung over the partition gates to darken the stall during farrowing thus minimizing the attention of adjoining sows and I feel often saves entire litters or at least a large percentage.

Many Natural Difficulties

In growing and developing our crop of hogs many natural difficulties confront the herdsman, all of which only add to the cost of production thus lowering our efficiency and aiding the enemy.

To secure and maintain a healthy condition of the herd is our great objective.

Herein lies the greatest expense in the production of pork. Some of the greatest enemies of the life and health of the hog are the parasites which infest them both externally and internally. To begin this fight against the external parasites or lice I disinfect the sow at the time we place her in the farrowing pen to make sure nothing remains on her ready to be transferred to the litter of pigs which would commence to sap their life blood. Before removing from the farrowing pen I mark and castrate all the pigs and find my loss from this operation very slight using a good disinfectant for both hands and knife, then I move two sows with litters of the same age or size at a time in a sled crate thoroly disinfecting again both sows and pigs. This serves a triple purpose. As well as protecting from lice, it is a disinfectant to their fresh wounds, and also serves to make all pigs smell alike thus protecting them from attack by the strange sows.

Prefers Portable Houses

In order to observe segregation, I have portable houses scattered over the pasture in which I place from two to four sows, and their litters, according to the size of the houses, where they are confined twenty four hours to overcome their homing instinct.

As a rule I can find a hundred pigs about the same age. Frequently that many celebrate the same birthday, should they live to the ripe old age, so they are selected to go to one pasture and so far as possible I try to hold the number down to around that many in one place.

I try to plan my hog raising as simply a multiple of the smaller operator, losing as little of his natural advantage of small numbers as possible and at the same time because of the increased numbers, making it sufficiently important to devote time to the necessary details of the business.

I believe that, other things being equal, segregation is the small feeders greatest asset for success. Consequently, my farm is now divided into fields of convenient size for segregating during the pasture season. These small fields, when in crop rotation, make it convenient and practical for harvesting crops with the hogs in the field when they are large enough to be thrown into large droves.

A Liberal Use of Protein

I realize that the effectiveness of production depends largely on the amount of lost motion, superfluous use of feed or time that can well be considered as lost motion, especially at this moment. In an attempt to reduce these wastes to a minimum I have made liberal use of protein supplements along with corn which I have found to be a source of saving feed rather than being an added expense to the industry. On account of the expense of purchasing protein feeds, involving extra costs and labor I attempt to produce on the farm as much of this class of feeds as possible. For this I have found alfalfa and soy beans of extreme value. As evidence of my faith in corn and soy beans seeded together I have just finished hogging down 4,000 bushels of corn with beans in them and have in addition 100 acres of soy beans in the corn stalks for the brood sows during the winter. From this they get both feed and exercise—fundamentals for strong, robust pigs at farrowing time.

When inclement weather no longer permits the hogging down of corn the shotes are removed to the central feeding plant where they get shelled corn from the 4000 bushel self feeder which has 72 feet of feeding space and will accommodate 500 to 700 hogs at one time. To balance the ration they help themselves to tankage and minerals from a smaller self feeder and drink water from an ever-filled, non-freezing waterer. All the fattening hogs have access to the cattle feed-lots where they work over the droppings from the shock corn, linseed oil meal and silage fed steers from which they secure laxative feed which keeps their bowels in perfect condition.

Vaccination

About the time I am ready to dispense with segregation every pig is of good size and ready to hustle for himself. While it may not be advisable to wean the pig, the time has come when I feel that he must become immune from cholera. If he has been kept free from lice, well segregated, properly fed on a balanced ration, supplemented with proper minerals, given pure water, good forage, and his quarters kept sanitary, up to this stage of development disease will probably not break out in the herd except from outside sources.

It is now possible to protect against further risk and loss from cholera, the greatest plague to the swine industry. It has finally been conceded that the double treatment is the only assurance and most dependable resource of protection against heavy loss from this dreaded disease. I believe in giving a heavy dose as assured immunity is my plan. I have had some loss by this method but I felt sure, when over with it, of what I had left. This uncertainty and nervous feeling about the health of the hogs is the great depressing influence in the life of the producer. A good suggestion made at the livestock breeders meeting at Peoria was to follow up the double treatment by an added single treatment to those showing sickness. This I believe is a good plan and while seemingly a little expensive and some guess work as to which to give the second dose, even though the thermometer test is used, yet I believe a very large percentage of loss would be saved and immunity be assured by such a method.

An Excellent Patent Oiler

In order to keep the herd all free from vermin through the summer in an economical manner, I am using crude oil by placing a wooden barrel filled with oil in a shady place and making a sand bed around the barrel about ten feet square, the sand being held in place by two by six nailed together edgewise. Then soaking the sand in oil when the hogs seem to need special attention I find that they will do the rest for they will take turns waiting to roll in the oily sand. Later when the oil is used up or evaporated, they will still come to the place and rub on the barrel which is by this time leaking between the staves just about enough to supply their needs, thus making an excellent patent oiler that holds a sufficient amount to last quite a while.

This plan is very economical and effective and at the advanced price of crude oil still makes it possible to continue to use.

A Variety of Internal Parasites

The internal parasites are of different varieties, one of the most important being the worms which infest the intestines. The various internal troubles of the hog business give rise to many commercial remedies which are sold to producers at a very high price. The feeder realizes the need of something that he is not feeding to his hogs, to keep them healthy and consequently becomes an easy mark for the salesman.

Our universities are doing some research work along these lines and can possibly continue this work with profitable results to the producers and the Nation. Our State Veterinarian, Dr. Peters, has done some very effective research work along this line, having had an especially good opportunity to try out his theories in his extended experience with many thousands of hogs, both as a producer, feeder and serum manufacturer. Dr. Peters sums up his experience with not only hogs, but all kinds of live stock, to the effect that all live stock require for proper health and development, a well balanced and proper amount of mineral. Some such formula as the doctors or that which the university recommends should be kept before the hogs at all times in such a manner that they will be able to get what they desire and not get hungry for it, causing a consequent gorge when given free access again. This danger is overcome by Dr. Peters' plan of using a large per cent of lime which gives the mixture a sharp taste preventing them from overeating. The subject of mineral feed for livestock is of sufficient importance to deserve the attention of the best thought of our country. The best boned stock of the world comes from the valley grass farms of the old country which are continually being fed mineral matter from the cultivated hill country surrounding them. Nature has supplied the necessary mineral through the valley grasses of England and France which condition, coupled with careful breeding has given the livestock farmers of these countries prestige the world over. There is no reason why America should look to any other country for better breeding stock than could be raised here, were our resources properly developed and distributed. Now as never before is America's opportunity. We can learn lesosns from the old world but it is up to us with our best students and business men with great foresight to work in unison and together help place our Nation in a position second to none in every phase of the live stock industry.

Thus we are quietly, studiously and persistently trying to do our bit not necessarily in the big things of today—but as integral parts of a harmonious unit all working to one end. We thoroughly believe that the great question before the world must have America's best, and be decided now, once and for all time.

Big game of season, Springfield vs. Jacksonville, David Prince gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

WAR MAKES INROADS ON TEACHING PROFESSION

Educational Authorities View With Concern Diminishing Supply of School Teachers Due to War—Questionnaires Being Sent to County Superintendents.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Faced by prospects of an increasing demand for and diminishing supply of school teachers for 1918-19, the employment service of the federal department of labor is sending to every state superintendent of education in the country a questionnaire seeking accurate informationas to the number of teachers available for next year and possible sources of supply for vacancies.

The Chicago branch of the service has let it be known that the greatest difficulty thus far has been in obtaing instructors for high schools, the greater part of whose teaching forces have hitherto been composed of young men. Numbers of these instructors have been called to the National Army or have enlisted. The many special services which the government has been organizing have also drawn heavily on this class of teachers, and on senior college students from among whom are usually recruited the annual additions to the school staffs.

Educational authorities have viewed with some concern the growing inroads on their profession which the war is making. They have, in many instances, started organized efforts to fill the gaps in their ranks and have emphasized the importance of maintaining high standards of instruction in the public schools. In this connection Mary C. C. Bradford of Denver, president of the National Education Association, has addressed an appeal to the teachers of the country, in which she said, in part:

"The School Teachers of the United States are hereby called to the Colors of the American Republic. The schools are the laboratory of good citizenship. The children are little citizens and must be guided in such present experiences as will make certain their future dedication to the welfare of the Republic. The Junior Membership of the Red Cross thru the School Auxiliary, offers an unsurpassable medium thru which the patriotic activities of the children can make themselves felt. Beginning with Lincoln's Birthday and lasting until Washington's Birthday a nation-wide effort is to be made in behalf of increasing the Junior Membership.

"The National Educational Association offers every teacher in the land the high privilege of participation in this great campagn. The school organization of each state needs your help in this form of character education.

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JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS,
Commissioner

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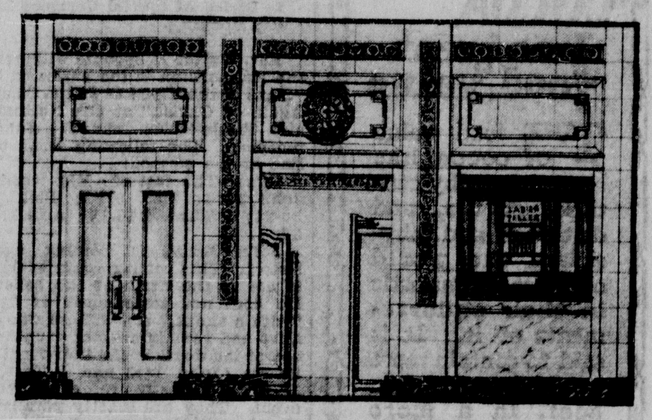

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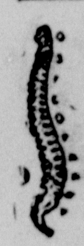

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KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK MARKET

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts 5,000; steady; bulk $16.00@$16.20; heavy $16.10@$16.30; light $15.85@$16.20; pigs $11.00@$14.00.

Cattle—Receipts 3,000; steady; steers $9.00@$13.75; cows $7.00@$11.00; heafers $7.25@11.25; calves $7.00@$14.00.

Sheep—Receipts 2,000; steady; lambs $16.00@$17.25; yearlings $13.00@$14.50; wethers $11.50@$13.00; ewes $11.00@$12.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts 10,000; lower; lights $16.00@$16.40; pigs $12.75@$15.25; mixed and butchers $16.10@$16.50; good heavy $16.40@$16.60; bulk $16.10@$16.50.

Cattle—Receipts 2,900; market steady; native beef steers $8.00@013.50; yearling steers and heifers $7.00@$13.50; cows $6.00@11.50; stockers and feeders $6.00@$10.50; calves $6.00@$16.00.

Sheep—Receipts 4,700; market steady; lambs $14.00@$17.75; ewes $10.50@$13.50; wethers $11.50@$13.25; canners and choppers $6.00@$9.00.

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The Journal will take Want Ads over the phone as an accommodation to our subscribers with the understanding that collection can be made for the same the next day. If you phone a Want Ad in today the collector will call to collect tomorrow. The ounral cannot be responsible for errors in ads taken over the phone. Advertiser can have ad repeated back over the phone on telphone orders.

WANTED

WANTED—All people out of employment. Jacksonville Employment agency. 237 East State St. Illinois phone 1590. 1-3-6t

WANTED—Job on farm by experienced married man. Can give references. Address John Wells, Jacksonville, Route 2. 1-31-6t.

WANTED TO RENT — Modern, furnished light house keeping rooms with use of garage. Phone Illinois 1290. 1-8-tf.

WANTED TO BORROW—$3,000 on Real estate security. Address "Borrow," care Journal. 1-26-6t

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WANTED—Man to husk shock corn. Call Illinois 0159. 2-2-tf.

WANTED—Well cleaning and digging, remember now is the time to clean the well. Call both phones 319. 1-30-6t

WANTED—Man to chop wood and do other work on farm; house furnished. Bell phone 41-12, Literberry. 2-1-4t.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cherry's Annex. 2-3-tf.

FOR RENT—Houses always. The Johnson Agency. 2-1-tf.

FOR RENT—Seven room house with barn, 460 South East street. 1-24-tf.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Home grown early Ohio potatoes. D. S. Taylor. Ill. phone 60-86. 2-2-tf.

FOR SALE—Fresh cows, extra good ones. F. V. Correa & Co., Manchester, Ill. 1-21-tf.

FOR SALE—A violin, cheap. 452 S. Clay ave. 1-30-6t

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf, 807 S. Main. Bell phone 377. 1-31-tf.

FOR SALE—House and 3 acres for immediate disposal, very cheap. Terms. Fred Davey. 1-30-5t

FOR SALE—Good used cars at bargain prices. Jacobs Motor Car company, 312 East State street. Bell 2, Illinois 432. 1-29-tf

FOR SALE—Reid's Improved Yellow Dent and Silver Mine 90 day white seed corn. See the test and corn at Lee Adams & Co. Ill. phone 50-951. 2-1-3t.

FOR SALE—Four big Jacks. These are the kind that make the $500 teams. Will sell separately. Address or phone A. T., Steelman, Roodhouse, Ill. Bell phone 94R1 Ill. phone F134. 2-2-1mo.

FOR SALE—180 acres farm, well improved, good house and barn, three miles from Jacksonville, $135 per acre, part cash, time on balance. Charles H. Story, Agent, Ayers Bank. 1-3-1mo

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 55 horsepower engine, Bose high tension magneto, cheap if taken by February 15th. Engine in good shape. Inquire at DeSilva's Quick Lunch counter, West State street. 1-26-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The Johnson Agency. 2-1-tf.

BUY CHEAP FUEL—Corn cobs City Elevator Co. 2-2-4t.

TRUNKS, LEATHER GOODS AND REPAIRING— Harney's Leather Goods Store, 215 West Morgan Street. 1-22-tf.

CALL WOOD'S for taxi for clubs, parties and trains; baggage transfer; auto for country trips. Either phone 174. Office 210 East Court Street. 1-17-tf.

PUBLIC SALE—At my home in Woodson Tuesday, Feb. 5 at 1 o'clock, a sale, consisting of mules, horses, farm implements, grain and other numerous articles. Mrs. G. A. Megginson. 2-2-3t.

PUBLIC SALE—Thursday, February 7th, 1918, 2½ miles northeast of Meredosia, known as the old Streuter farm, consisting of horses, cattle, mules, hogs, implements and household furniture. Will meet morning trains. Isaac J. Nunes. 1-30-3t.

SETTLING ESTATE—166 Acres, grain farm in Scott county, Ill., 7 room house; barn for 10 head of horses, large loft, buggy shed, large crib and granary and other improvements. Well located building lot 141 by 160, sewer and gas. Call or address Chas. E. Correa, 524 South Diamond St., Jacksonville. 1-6-1moo.

AT THE GRAND PANTATORIUM, located at 216 E. Court St., John Lynch is open Day and Night and cleans and presses anything. Ladies' suits are a specialty. Ladies' and Men's suits cleaned and pressed, $1.00; pressed, $.50. Call Ill. phone No. 128. Quick service and work neatly done. 1-26-12t

PUBLIC SALE—I will hold a public sale at my farm seven miles southeast of Ashland and seven miles northwest of New Berlin Thursday, February 28. A large number of cattle and hogs will be sold and about 60 head of horses and mules. All raised on my farm. Sale held under tent so that you need not be afraid of the weather. Dan lark. 1-31-1mo.

BALDWIN TREE WAGON — The Baldwin Tree Expert Co. has a tree wagon in the city. This outfit is capable of moving trees 30 inches in diameter. These trees are moved with a ball of earth attached large enough so the roots and fibers are not disturbed. These trees are guaranteed to grow. We have a number of hard maples 18 inches in diameter in nice shape that can be moved and very reasonable and any place that is desired. Bell phone 873. 1-31-3t.

SEALED PROPOSALS for eggs, poultry, fish, fresh fruits, green vegetables, (excepting matured potatoes and onions), straw, hay, corn and oats for supplying the Jacksonville State Hospital, Illinois School for Deaf; Illinois School for Blind, Jacksonville, will be received until twelve o'clock (noon) until the first day of each month at the business office of the above named institution from the date of this advertisement. Full information and bidding blanks will be furnished upon application to the Managing Officer of the above named institution. 1-15-16-26

LOST and FOUND

LOST—Tuesday afternoon, a small closed case gold watch with chain. Lost on College ave., between Academy Hall and Illinois College. Finder please return to Academy Hall and receive reward. 1-30-tf

CHICAGO & ALTON

North Bound—
No. 10 "The Hummer," daily......1:52 am
•No. 70, Chicago-Peoria Ex., daily 6:05 a m
•North of Bloomington daily except Suday.
No. 20 arrives from St. Louis daily except Sunday..........11:25 am
No. 46 Chicago Limited, daily....12:55 pm
No. 18 arrives from St. Louis daily ....8:35 pm
South and West Bound—
No. 11, the Nightingale to Kans. City, daily.....................5:28 am
No. 17 St. Louis Accommodation, departs daily..............6:45 am
No. 15 St. Louis-Kansas City Local, daily.....................9:45 am
No. 19 St. Louis-Mexico Accommodation, departs, daily except Sunday....................4:00 pm
No. 21 Kansas City "Hummer" daily ....8:35 pm

WABASH

East Bound—
No. 72, local frt, except Sunday..10:50 am
No. 12 ....9:45 pm
No. 52, daily......................6:00 pm
No. 28, daily......................2:00 am
No. 4, daily ....4:30 am
No trains stop at Junction
West Bound—
No. 9 daily........................1:10 pm
No. 73, loc. frt. except Sunday..12:50 pm
No. 3, daily ....7:15 am
No. 53, Hannibal Accom...........10:05 am
No. 53, Hannibal Accom...........10:00 am

C. P. & ST. L.

North Bound—
No. 36, daily......................7:40 a m
No. 35, returns...................11:30 a m
No. 38, leaves.....................2:50 p m
No. 37, arrives....................6:42 p m

BURLINGTON ROTS

North Bound—
No. 47, daily, except Sunday......11:26 m
No. 11, daily except Sunday ....4:30 pm
South Bound—
No. 12, daily except Sunda, ...6:55 pm
No. 48, daily except Sunday.......2:08 pm

HOME MARKETS

GROCERS PAY

Turnips, 75¢ per bushel.
Potatoes, $1.50 per bushel.
Onions, $1.25 per bushel.
Spring chickens, 25 cents per pound.
Butter, 45 cents per pound.
Eggs, 50¢ per dozen.
Lard, 30 cents per pound.

COMMISSION MEN PAY

Poultry Prices—

Hens, heavy	20 ¢
Hens, light	18
Springs, smooth	20 ¢
Stags	15 ¢
Cocks	10 ¢
Ducks	15 ¢
Geese	14 ¢
No. 1 Turkeys	23 ¢
Old Toms	18 ¢
Guineas	25 c
Egge, fresh gathered	55 ¢
Beef Hides	15 ¢
Packing Stock Butter	26 ¢

The Jacksonville Creamery Co., is now paying 53¢ for Butter Fat.

HAY AND GRAIN

Timothy Hay, per bale	85c
Alfalfa Hay, per ton	$18.00
Clover Hay, per bale	70c
Clover Hay, per ton	$14.00
Allfalfa Hay, per bale	$1.00
Oats Straw	40c
Oats, per bushel	80c
Bran	$2.20
Cracked Corn, old, per cwt	$4.90
Coarse Corn Meal	$4.90
Middlings	$2.85
S. Feed	$3.25@$4.50
Corn	$2.35

THE SPORTING WORLD.

Where Base Ball Clubs Will Train —Sprinting and Boxing— The Track.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. — The Detroit American league club will start its spring training season at Waxahachie, Texas, the middle of March with 29 players in uniform, unless some of the men now under contract are drafted. President Navin has decided to send his battery men to camp not later than March 10 and the rest of the squad will report a few days later.

The training work will be short this season. Neither Navin nor Manager Jennings believes in long workouts at a southern camp but both are warm supporters of the exhibition game system. The Tigers will play such a series with the Cincinnati Nationals this season.

The loss of Pitcher Ehmke, who enlisted in the navy, has caused Manager Jennings more worry about his pitching staff. Of the recruits, Pitcher Erickson who starred on the Pacific coast last season, is the most promising. Erickson formerly was with the Tigers and it is an open secret that he and Jennings got along like two strange catamounts. Erickson has been quoted as declaring that he never again would pitch for Detroit while Jennings managed the club.

Veteran Detroit ball players have claimed that Erickson had as much "stuff" as any recruit they ever have faced. When he was with Detroit, a bad knee hampered his work but it is claimed that his injury has been cured.

Chicago, Jan. — Plenty of major league baseball will be given to the fans of Texas this season. At least seven big league clubs will play there this spring.

Five clubs will start in the Lone Star state to prepare for the 1918 races, and at least two others will visit there on their way to the north land. The New York and St.Louis Nationals and the Chicago, St. Louis and Detroit Americans have selected training camps in the state.

The Cleveland Americans, who will train at New Orleans, will meet the New York Nationals at Dallas in exhibition contests, and the Cincinnati Nationals are expected to come from their camp in Alabama and cross bats with the Detroit Americans. Hot Springs, Ark., will have a club from each league, as will Jacksonville, Fla.

The following table shows where the clubs will train:

American.
Chicago at Mineral Wells, Texas.
St. Louis at Palestine, Texas.
Detroit at Waxahachie, Texas.
Washington at Tampa, Fla.
Philadelphia at Jacksonville, Fla.
Boston at Hot Springs, Ark.
Cleveland at New Orleans, La.
New York at Macon, Ga.

National.
New York at Marlin, Texas.
St. Louis at San Antonio, Texas.
Chicago at Pasadena, Calif.
Boston at Miami, Fla.
Philadelphia at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Pittsburgh at Jacksonville, Fla.
Cincinnati at Montgomery, Ala.
Brooklyn at Hot Springs, Ark.

Milwaukee, Jan. — Sam Bohene, second baseman with the Milwaukee club of the American association, will not cavort around the keystone sack next season. Sam is a real "Sammy" now, having enlisted in the quartermasters department at San Francisco, his home. Bohene—his right name is Cohen—came to Milwaukee from the St. Louis Nationals in a deal for Pitcher Marvin Goodwin, who has joined the aviation corps.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. — The passing of Pan Zareta, which died recently at New Orleans, removed one of the greatest sprinters and one of the most popular race horses of recent American turf history.

Within seven-eighths of a mile, her speed was of the extreme order, altho she could race creditably up to a mile when not too hard pressed. In point of speed, her best performance was against Joe Blair in a specially arranged race of five and a half furlongs at Juarez, February 9, 1915. Pan Zareta won by two lengths in 0:57 1-5, which is still the American record.

The total of the horse's winnings in her career of six years was $39,028. Out of 151 starts, she finished first 76 times, was second 31 times and showed 21 times. In only 23 starts was she unplaced.

Chicago, Jan. — Matt Wells, the English boxer, is now a referee in Rochester, N. Y., according to word received here. Wells created a sensation in the ring in this country a few years ago. He now has retired from the fighting end of the game and is said to be making a success as the "third man" in the ring.

St. Louis, Jan. — Jack Hendricks, the new manager of the St. Louis Nationals, will take his old trainer who was with him at Indianapolis to the Mound city. He is Curtis Hollingsworth, who for four seasons conditioned the Hoosiers.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. — Harry Morrissey, for many years, starter on Kentucky race tracks, has resigned to train the horses of H. A. Porter, a Tulsa, Okla., oil operator.

The Porter stable consists of the mares and yearlings bought from the Elham stud in England and the thorobreds Mr. Porter acquired at the Wickliffe dispersal sale. Morrissey, moreover, will have a half interest in the estabiishment.

A. B. Dade, who has acted as starter on the Canadian tracks for many years, and who is now at New Orleans, will, it is said, succeed Morrissey.

Virtually all military aviators engaged in the war have mascots to safeguard them in their flights. If they did not, air casualties would be far heavier; at least, that is the opinion of every genuine flying man, and particularly every "old hand" at the game.

CIRCUMSTANCES GIVE CORN DOWNWARD SLANT

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—Peace gossip and moderating weather that promised enlarged receipts gave corn today a downward slant. Pricese closed easy at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅝c lower at $1.26¾ March and $1.24⅝@$1.24¾ May. Oats underwent a setback of 1⅛@1¼c net. Provisions gained 2½@20¢.

Many corn traders today acted on bearish inferences from the president's letter referring to the international outlook for 1918. Sharp attention was given to all news touching disturbances in Germany.

Attempts to rally the market proved to be of little use. Lberal country offerings had much to do with weakness of oats.

Besides export demand was lacking both from the east and from the coast.

BRADSTRETT'S REPORT

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Bradstreets tomorrow will say:

"Business in an industrial, as well as commercial sense is hobbled, either because of scarcity of goods, enforced weekly shutdowns, adverse weather conditions, paucity of fuel, insufficient production or freight congestion and after seven weeks are making little headway working out of blockodes.

"Nevertheless there is a strong disposition to speed up on war work and when conditions become propitious and in a general sense there is sufficient buying of domestic staple lines to make up a goodly aggregate. The question is not one of getting business but of making even fairly prompt deliverieh."

NEW YORK STOCK LIST
(Last Sale)

American Beet Sugar	77⅞
American Can	39¼
American Smelting and Refining	163⅞
Anadona Copper	63½
Atchison	85
Baldwin Locomotive	64
Baltimore and Ohio	51⅜
Bethlehem Steel	78⅞
Canadian Pacific	147¾
Central Leather	68⅛
Chesapeake and Ohio	53⅞
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	42¼
Columbia Gas and Electric	34
Crucible Steel	57¼
Cuba Cane Sugar	31½
Erie	15⅝
General Motors	134¼
Great Northern Pfd.	91⅛
Int. Mer. Marine	94¼
Kennecott Copper	33⅜
Maxwell Motor Co.	28¾
New oYrk Central	71½
Northern Pacific	86¼
Ohio Cities Gas	38¾
Pennsylvania	46
Reading	75¾
Southern Pacific	83⅜
Southern Railway	23⅞
Studebaker Co.	53
Union Pacific	116¼
United States Steel	96½
Sinclair Oil	33⅛

NEW YORK BOND LIST

U. S. 2s registered	97⅛
U. S. 2s coupon	97⅛
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CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Liberal arrivals today gave the first setback this week to hog prices. Prime cattle were in demand, but other kinds seemed to be more numerous than immediate needs called for. There was no urgent inquiry for sheep.

Hogs—Receipts 34,000; tomorrow 23,000; market unsettled; bulk $16.10@$16.45; light $15.65@$16.35; mixed $15.90@$16.45; heavy $15.85@$16.50; rough $15.80@$16.00; pigs $13.25@$15.25.

Cattle—Receipts 14,000; tomorrow 4,000; market weak; native steers $8.65@$14.15; stockers and feeders $7.45@$70.80; cows and heifers $6.60@$11.90.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; tomorrow 4,000; market weak; weahers $10.00@$13.50; ewes $9.75@$13.10; lambs $14.75@$17.75.

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Corn—No. 5 mixed $1.50@$1.56; No. 6 mixed $1.38@$1.55; No. 4 yellow $1.65@$1.70; No. 5 yellow $1.50@$1.62; No. 6 yellow $1.40@$1.55; No. 5 white $1.55; No. 6 white $1.35@$1.63; sample grade $1.10@$1.55.

Oats—No. 3 white 86¾@88¢; No. 4 white 86¼@86½¢; standard 88@89¢.

Rye—No. 2 $2.15.

Timothy—$5.00@$8.25.

OMAHA LIVESTOCK MARKET

Omaha, Feb. 1.—Hoge—Receipts 11,600; lower; hevyq $15.80@$16.10; mixed $15.90@$16.00; light $15.75@$16.10; pigs $10.00@$15.00; bulk $15.90@$16.00.

Cattle—Receipts 3,500; steady; steers $9.00@$13.50; cows and heifers $7.50@$10.50; calves $7.00@$13.00.

Sheep—Receipts 6,200; steady; yearlings $11.75@$15.00; wethers $11.25@$13.25; ewes $11.00@$12.50.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET

New York, Feb. 1.—Mercantile paper, 5½@5¾.

Bar silver 86⅝.

Mexican dollars 69.

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Call money, righ 6; low 4; closing bid 4½.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET

New York, Feb. 1.—Corn—Spot easy; kiln dried No. 3 yellow $1.80¾ and No. 3 mixed $1.78¾ cost and freight New York prompt shipment; Argentine $2.06 f. o. b. care.

Oats—Spot firm; natural $1.00@$1.02.

On Monday I rest
And I'll surely do my best
To think of a very good plan
That when I shall eat
I will be so discreet
I can help my good Uncle Sam.

Uncle Sam's my adviser
And not Billy Kaiser
For much has been done I am sure
To keep me in peace
Till troubles shall cease
And misery made the world pure.

My head's just big enough
To swallow such stuff
As our government dads send to us
I mind every word
That ever I've heard
That's the way to settle this fuss.

On Tuesday I make it a habit
To kill me a nice little rabbit
For Uncle Sam wants me to eat
Then we'll send off the beef
For our soldier's relief
And I won't know I didn't have meat.

We all can conserve
If we have any nerve
And do the best ever we can
We can fill with potatoes
And nice canned tomatoes
And each be a well happy man.

Our cooks they are learning
Their brains they are turning
To see what new dishes they'll find
To help Uncle Sam
To conserve all the lamb
For to furnish the yarn we can wind.

—Aunt Lou Hop.

PEACE TALK AGAIN A FOREMOST FACTOR

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—War shares figpred prominently in the advance of the forenon on the stock market altho peace talk was again a foremost factor. Rails derived some of their early support from further improvement in eastern transportation conditions.

In the bullish enthusiasm of the first hour the turnover aggregated 40 per cent of the total. U. S. Steel monopolized speculative attention thruout, but forfeited its fractionaol advance closing at a net decline of 1⅜ points. Other industrials also rails and coppers pursued much the same course but shippings retained part of their substantial gains with miscellaneous issues. Sales 960,000 shares.

Liberty issues improved, 3½s selling at 98.30 to 98, first 4s at 96.68 to 96.60 and second 4s at 96.04 to 96.98. Total sales (par value) $4,650,000.

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I began taking Cardui about 6 months before my baby came. As a result all those bad feelings left me, and I just felt grand, just as if nothing at all was the matter, and when the end came I was hardly sick at all.

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GEORGE RATLIFF SALE WAS HELD FRIDAY

Sale Totaled Over $2,500 and Satisfactory Prices Prevailed—Sheep Bring High Prices—Red Cross of Literberry Served Lunch.

The sale of George Ratliff was held at his farm east of Literberry Friday. There was a large attendance and the bidding was spirited and satisfactory prices prevailed. Sheep brought especially good prices.

The proceeds of the sale totaled over $2,500. Jed Cox was auctioneer and Charles McDonald served as the clerk. Lunch was served by the Red Cross of Literberry and a goodly sum was realized. Some of the prices and buyers are given herewith:

Horses—Louis Maul mare at $80. Stewart Spradlin, horse at $200 and one at $65. Henry Strawn four year old filly at $97. Arthur Liter aged mare at $32.50.

Hogs—Henry Strawn 15 shoats at $15.30 each, 17 at $13.50 each and three at $13.10 each. George Wagner four at $5.10 each. Phillip Freitag two brood sows at $42.50 and $32. Stewart Spradlin brood sow at $43.50.

Sheep—J. A. Crum four lambs at $22.50 each. Charles Ratliff five lambs at $28.

Cattle—Mr. Jokisch one cow at $87. Frank Farreo heifer at $46. William Freitag heifer at $23.

Corn sold at $1.06 per bushel in the crib. Oats straw sold from 45 to 50 cents per bale.

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JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS,
Commissioner

JACKSONVILLE PLAYS SPRINGFIELD TONIGHT

Winners of State Championship Will Be Opponents of Local Five—Springfield not so Strong as Last Year but Still Formidable—Potter Will Referee.

Springfield's high school basketball five, winners of the state championship last year, will be Jacksonville high's opponent at David Prince gymnasium tonight. Springfield is minus the services of Eilson and Dunne, two of the stars of last year's team. However, they still have Poscover and are a formidable aggregation.

The game this evening is Jacksonville's big game of the season. Springfield and Jacksonville have been rivals for years and the local team always fights harder against Springfield than against any other team. Coach Hoover has been giving his men some hard work and his defense has been drilled with the view of stopping Poscover.

This player is the main cog of the Capital city five this year. However, it is a hard problem to stop Poscover who is extremely fast for a big man. A team that can keep him from scoring has a good chance to defeat Springfield as there are no other men on this year's team of the caliber of Eilson and Dunne.

Coach Hoover expects to use Reeve, Harney and Gustafson at forward, Smith at center and Fierke and Greene at guards with Lucas and Bento in reserve. Potter of Illinois college will be the referee. The game will start promptly at 8 o'clock.

Big game of season, Springfield vs. Jacksonville, David Prince gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

MR. BARBEE HERE.

P. B. Barbee, proprietor of the Douglas hotel, came down yesterday from his Peoria hotel to be here a couple of weeks. He is much pleased so far with the business of his Jacksonville house, thinks it in good hands during his absence and while here he will see that any possible matter needing attention will have it.

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From Harry Hobaker.

The following letter from Harry Hobaker was sent this paper from Waverly:

Camp Hancock,
Augusta, Ga.
Jan. 23, 1918.

To the Waverly Journal:

Am writing to the Journal in order that the people of Waverly may know where and how I am.

At first I enlisted at St. Louis, went to Jefferson Barracks, Mo. I stayed there a few days after I took the oath. I then went to San Antonio, Texas, where I enjoyed about three weeks. There are many aeroplanes and balloons there and a camp of about 50,000 men.

I now am at Augusta, Ga., in the 2nd Motor Mechanic regiment. We are thru drilling now, and ready to take up our work in France. I have the greater part of my equipment. We are to be in port Feb. 1st, but will never be there at that time. We expect our dog tents and side arms soon.

The weather here is fine in the day time, but gets cool at nights. It rains here quite often, and the sand holds the dampness. We had a tornado which blew down our tent upon us, in the night. I go around in my shirt sleeves in the daytime.

We eat in a mess kitchen and the food is good. Almost all solid, except a little fruit for breakfast. We line up and get what we want. If we want more we go and get it. If we waste bread, get on special duty for three days.

This is a large camp composed of 16,000 acres. Light and heavy artillery, machine gun and rifle range. The practice is a continual roar, all day long. There are 40,000 men here now, some coming in and also going out.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Red Cross, and every one who has sent me anything during my service in the army. I also wish to mention that the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. and K. C. are doing a great work here.

With best regards to all,
Harry Hobaker,
2nd Motor Mechanic Regt.
Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga.
A. S. S. C.

From Doctor Gibson.

Hanover Center, Mass.
Jan. 29, 1918.

The Journal Co.,
Jacksonville, Ill.
Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith a letter in copy recently received from my brother who is serving in a Medical Unit with the Britsh Expeditionary Forces.

Dr. Gibscon is a son of the late George C. Gibson and was reared at the old homestead, ten miles southeast of the city.

If you care to make use of this letter by inserting it in the columns of your publication it may be appreciated by friends and neighbors who knew Dr. Gibson.

Very truly yours,
Edwin H. Gibson.

France, Christmas Day, 1917.

Dear Mother:

It is now just after lunch time. We shall have our Christmas dinner at 6:30 this evening. I worked in the laboratory a couple of hours this morning, then came back to the hut and opened my Christmas boxes. Everything that you sent me was fine. The socks and sweater are great, so heavy and well knitted and the candies, raisins, nuts and cookies will surely bring a lot of cheer to all of us here. I got two other boxes beside those from home and I know there are one or two others on the way. This is a beautiful day here, pretty windy but as warm as an early spring day at home. During all of last week the weather was cold and clear with snow on the ground. The snow on the sand dunes and the hills is beautiful in the sunlight. It was warm and cloudy yesterday and most of the snow melted away. The thing that seems strangest is that the days are so short. The sun peeks over the hills about 8:45 in the morning and sets at about 3:45 and it is much farther south than we have been accustomed to see it at home. The twilight, however, is much longer than in our latitude in the United States and we can look forward to more daylight soon. The short days with so little sunshine tend to make one gloomy.

Our hut is so much more comfortable than the tents that I think we shall find the money to be well spent. The lumber has shrunk a good deal so that the wind sails thru in lively fashion and since coal is none too plentiful we have to be careful of our fuel. We are thinking of lining the walls inside with heavy newspapers—the Chicago Tribune, copies of which have been coming to us right along. It won't be exceptionally artistic but it will "stop a hole to keep the wind away."

The patients are having a fine Christmas. The wards are decorated. There is a Christmas tree in each one and each patient received a parcel from the States. Early this morning Christmas Carols were sung and this evening there will be a short concert in each of the wards. The music will be furnished by enlisted men of our personnel. We have a lot of talent, several of them professional musicians. The enlisted men are a splendid bunch, most of them college men and a good many with more all around culture than we medical men possess.

I had an interesting experience last week. About 11 p. m. on Tuesday night our French teacher, who lives in a nearby village, came to the Hospital and said he wished the services of a doctor for a very sick child in the village. Since I was the only one claiming to be a children's specialist I went. I found a beautiful boy baby, 26 months old, with a laryngeal diptheria. I came back to the hut, procured some antitoxin, took Dr. Jaros along with me and we administered the medicine. We saw the baby again the next day and tho a little better he was still desperately ill, so we gave more antitoxin. He then began to improve rapidly and when we came on the following day he laughed, held out his hands, and said "L'Anglais." We told him we were not English and that he must learn to say "Americans." He seemed to realize that what we had done had helped him. The people were very grateful, assuring us that we had saved the child's life, and perhaps we did. They were in poor circumstances but offered to pay us something. I told them we did not wish money and then the lady said she would give us a souvenir. When we make our next call we will perhaps find out what it is. I was quite pleased at saving my first pediatric case in France.

I think I told you about our going to a dinner at the home of the Cure in our adjoining village. We have asked him to come to our Christmas dinner this evening and after a little while Joe and I are going to walk down to his home and bring him here. We want him to see some of our wards before dinner.

There is talk that Lieutenant Neal, who has charge of the laboratory, may be sent to England for a couple of months for some special work and if so I may have to handle the laboratory work alone. I am not capable of doing it for I haven't had enough experience but we are in the Army now and if I am ordered to do it I will do the best I can and let it go at that. With the laboratory work and the mess job I suppose I will be in hot water most of the time, but such is life in the Army.

With love to all,
Stanley.

Letter from Truman Gibson.

The following letter was received by Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Gibson from their son, Truman Gibson, who enlisted in the army service a short time ago and was sent to Camp Kelly, San Antonio, Tex. His cousin, Leonard Wood, accompanied him. The young men were students at Jacksonville high school, later taking a course at the business college, and have many friends in Morgan county who will be glad to know they are making good.

San Antonio, Kelly Field No. 1,
Jan. 23, 1918.

Dear Home Folks:

Leonard and I had our physical test this morning and passed. We were also vaccinated for small pox and given inoculation No. 1 for typhoid fever, No. 2 and 3 to follow; also others to follow. We both have sore left arms this evening and by morning they will doubtless be very stiff.

To give you an idea of the size of this camp, here is a good one. Leonard got lost this afternoon in Kelly No. 1. The lieutenant sent him to deliver a message. He finally got to the place and started back. He walked about a mile then asked an officer if he wasn't in Kelly No. 2 or No. 3, and found he was still in No. 1 but two miles from line 138, and going in the wrong direction.

Leonard and I are in the same division and have not been assigned yet. We may be assigned tomorrow or it may be a month. You never know what or when in the army five minutes in advance. One young fellow in our tent had some experience in brick laying. He came out to camp from San Antonio with us Sunday. Today he was started on the first lap of his journey for France to build aero hangars. Some will be here when the war ends if it is 10 years, others will be sent to other camps but the most of course will go to France some time.

This camp is so big that the only ones who see it all are those who fly over it. Each flying field contains several hundred acres where planes start and light. There are three of these fields.

Everyone here is a specialist or trained for one. Every one is drilled in infantry first except in special cases. We are getting two hours of it now in each half day. Haven't a thing to kick about at all. Have good food, quarters and treatment. Everything is done at the tick of the clock. Reveille sounds at 6:15 a. m. That wakes us. Line up call at 6:30. This is roll call and 15 minutes gymnastic exercises. Then 15 minutes rest and then the mess call. From 7 to 8:30 we eat and fix our equipment for inspection and wait for call for drill and military instruction, which begins at 8:30. About 2 hours of drill followed by a rest and then 30 minutes of instruction. Then noon mess. Afternoon is much the same schedule. Evening mess at 5 o'clock and then we are free till taps. The nearest Y. M. C. A. building is nearly a mile from our tent, so I am willing for them to move me any time they wish to a different part of camp.

Address me General Delievery, San Antonio, and use my middle name until I have a permanent camp address. Leonard and I have bought wrist watches. We will have to get rid of our surplus luggage before long and spend about $10 for a soldier's kit in order to have all articles we need in light compact form.

Love to all,
Truman.

CHANGE OF TIME ON WABASH.

Change of time Sunday, Feb. 3 in train No. 53, west bound due at 10:05 a. m. will leave Decatur at 6:30 a. m. instead of 7 a. m. and be scheduled about 30 minutes earlier all along the line.

No. 52, east bound, due at 6 p. m., will leave Hannibal at 2:30 p. m. instead of 3 p. m. and leave Jacksonville at 5:20 p. m.

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COLLEGE MEN AT CAMP TAYLOR PLAN REUNION

Louisville War Camp Community Service Inaugurates Series of Dinners for College Men Stationed at Camp.

Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky., Feb. 1.—To bring the college ment stationed at Camp Zachary Taylor in closer touch with their former college mates has been made part of a plan being carried out by the Louisville war camp community Service. Thousands of soldiers of the United States composed principally of former college students, instructors and almuni of Indiana and Kentucky college, are serving in various capacities in the National army at Camp Zachary Taylor, and in order to have reunions of various colleges, the War Camp Community Service, in conjunction with local alumni, have arranged a series of get-to-gether dinners.

"Founders Day" of Indiana University will be celebrated by two hundred officers and enlisted men in camp and the local alumni of the Three Falls Cities on Saturday night Feb 2, at the Tyler hotel President W. L. Bryan, of Indiana University and Ralph Sollitt, alumni secretary who will attend the dinner will be the guests of honor. An informal program has been arranged the principal feature being an address by President Bryan. Among the former students of the University engaged in war work who will come to Louisville to be present, will be L. H. Weir, field secretary of the War Department Commission on Training Camp Activities, now stationed at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio.

Another dinner of the series arranged for the college men will bring together former students of DePauw University. Cecil C. North, formerly head of the department of sociology at DePauw and now executive secretary of the War Camp Community Service in Louisville, will preside over the DePauw dinner.

Purdue night was celebrated with rousing college spirit last week by officers and enlisted men from Camp Taylor, when President W. E. Stone, was guest of honor.

Kentucky University, Rose Polythenic and other Indiana and Kentucky colleges will follow shortly with college dinners.

NOTICE.

I have received notice that I may be called into service within 24 hours notice and would appreciate it if those persons indebted to me would kindly make settlement.

Dr. Schott,
Alexander, Ill.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Brief funeral services for J. Van Doren Stout will be held from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Thompson, 729 West State street this morning at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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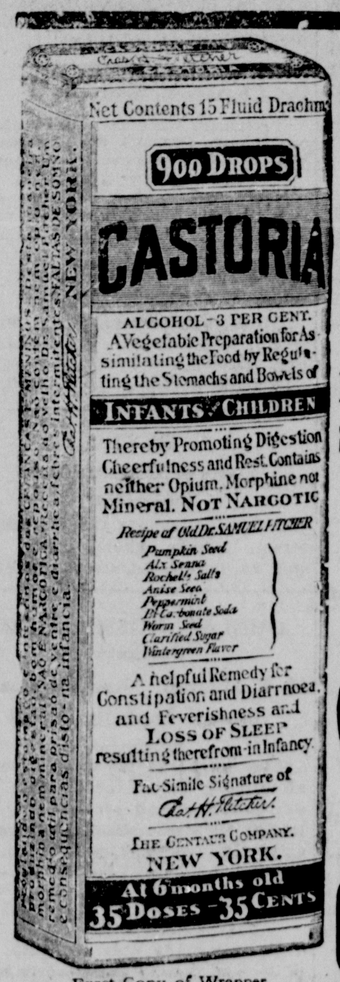

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DIPLOMAS PRESENTED AT BUSINESS COLLEGE

"Pathway to Success" was Theme of Rev. M. L. Pontius—Democracy and World War Discussed by Harlan E. Read.

The graduating exercises of the class of 1917-18 of Brown's Business college took place last night at the college, with a large audience present. Addresses were made by Rev. M. L. Pontius and Harlan E. Read. Diplomas were presented to seventeen graduates by Mr. Read. Miss Clara C. Moore, Miss Rena Lazelle, Messrs Carl F. Jessen and William Ooley gave a musical program and the selections were of a kind to again impress upon the public their musicianly ability. Miss Marceline Armstrong gave a reading which was enthusiastically received.

The Way to Success

The address by Rev. M. L. Pontius on "The Path of Success" was a splendid effort. Rev. Mr. Pontius emphasized first of all the necessity of upright and moral character, a determination to win, unflagging industry and devotion to business, and that the vocation should be subject to the person and not the person to the vocation. In other words, a man should dominate his business and not be a slave to it. "Success does not consist alone in dollars and cents, but rather the benefit one may be to his fellow man. He who goes forth in the world with a good business education, a moral character, and a devotion to the welfare of his fellow man has attained the greatest success possible in this world. The record of this world as written on high will not give first place to the men who have acquired the vast fortunes of which we read but rather to those who have left the world better for being in it."

A Study of Democracy

The audience was greatly interested in the address of H. E. Read, president of Brown's Business college, who took as his theme, "Democracy and the War." Mr. Read has evidently been making a deep study of war conditions, and in fact it is known that he has made a series of addresses upon the subject he used last night. In the beginning he traced the history and development of democracy from the earliest days and showed that this is the second great world struggle for liberty and freedom. The first struggle ended with the defeat of Napoleon in 1814 and it is significant that the second world struggle for democracy began just 100 years later. Mr. Read named the republics of the world and gave some illuminating facts about the government organization in each. Then he touched upon the French revolution, giving the salient points in the development which resulted in the revolution and then traced the actual resulting benefits to the people engaged in the war and to the world at large.

The U. S. Revolution

Then changing his view point from Europe to the U. S., Mr. Read gave in a brief and succinct way the story of the American revolution and its accomplishments. Certain points of relationship between the two revolutions were touched upon. It was the evident purpose of the speaker to show that the present struggle for democracy is in fact the logical sequence of events which have been developing for centuries past. He showed that this struggle was at some time inevitable and that for a period before the war broke out in Europe it was just a question of time as to when democracy's final struggle should be launched.

It was clear from Mr. Read's statement that he is not one of those who looks for an early ending of this world war, nor does he anticipate a sweeping and decisive victory which will settle the questions involved. Instead it was indicated as his belief that the war is much more likely to drag on thru a period of years, just as has been true of several other wars which great interests involved. While Mr. Read looks upon the reported uprisings of the people in Germany as hopeful, he does not believe that at the present time any large percentage of the people are in revolt. He gives much more credence to reports of conditions of unrest and dissatisfaction in Austria, and would not deem it as vastly surprising if the uprising of the people there eventually at least prevented Austria from further active participation in the war.

End of War Far Distant

Even should this happen Mr. Read did not believe that the collapse of Germany would be speedy and sure. He commented upon the marvelous military organization of that country, upon certain efficiencies of government and upon characteristics of the people, all of which combine to give the belief that the end of the war is very far distant if the end is predicated upon the complete wiping out of the German government.

While the speaker looked for a long continued war, he has the most sanguine hopes as to the final outcome and with other American students of world events is confident in the belief that the war will not cease until the kings of all the nations are dethroned. In other words the struggle for democracy will be waged until the rights of the people are in the ascendency in all the countries of the globe. In conclusion Mr. Read impressed upon the graduates the supreme need for loyalty in Service, for sustaining the men at the front and in upholding the government at home in every possible demand.

Those awarded diplomas were as follows: Misses Mayme Hines, Florence Biggs, Ohma Boyd, Lucy Coultas, Alma Mackness, Esther Vasey, Genevieve Mount, Thessel Webster, Coral Guard, Lee Turley, Reecy Oliver, Margaret Fernandes; Messrs. Rudolph Derksen, Denham Harney, J. Donnell Robinson, James Flynn, Raymond Hatfield.

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PROBATE COURT

In the estate of C. L. French, the petition for probate of will was received and the will was admitted. Letters testamentary were ordered to issue to Mrs. Maude French.

Edward P. Brockhouse was appointed guardian ad litem for Hallier Dickerson, Bernardine Elizabeth and Charles Louis French, minor heirs.

In the estate of Eva Connell authority was given the conservator, F. E. Farrell, to proceed as administrator. The inventory was approved and an order made authorizing the omission of appraisement.

In the estate of W. D. Alford, the resignation of Ernest F. Alford as administrator was accepted. Private sale of personal property in this estate was authorized.

In the estate of Miss Emma Capps, petition for probate of will was received and the hearing was set for Feb. 25.

WILL REMOVE TO WEST.

M. R. Cole, who for some time has been living on the Devore farm southeast of the city, has bought 50 acres in the state of Washington and will shortly move there with his wife and son Charles. He is an energetic upright man and his friends hope for his success in his new home.

ASBURY CHURCH.

There will be services at Asbury church Sunday 2:45 p. m. The weather permitting preaching by the pastor, W. W. Theobald.

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COAL SUPPLY HERE STILL FILLS DEMANDS

City Far More Fortunate Than Many Others — A Warning to Coal Thieves — State Administrator Shows Greater Economy Necessary.

Local coal men met with the fuel commission Friday morning at the Ayers National bank to make the report of conditions. The sum total of coal on hand and in transit proved to be only a few hundred tons less than recorded last Friday. This report was accounted as excellent in view of the acute shortage which exists in many other localities. Various complaints have been filed with the commission about the heavy losses which are being sustained by stealage from cars.

Coal Stealing Must Stop.

The local coal commission has instruction from the state fuel administrator to issue warning on this subject. Those who are guilty of stealing coal from cars are in danger of prosecution by the federal government as well as by other authorities, since the railroads are now under government control. The coal is stolen not only from cars shipped to Jacksonville but from cars which pass thru this city to other points It is said in some cases in the past men and boys have made it a business to station themelves at certain points along the railroads where cars are usually stopped, then climb on the cars and roll off lumps. In other cases long poles are used to knock the coal from the cars.

Local coal men because of the high cost of coal and the great amount of stealage, have in a number of cases employed special watchmen. In one instance recently a boy was caught just as he had finished removing about 15 bushels of coal from a car to a nearby shed. At an early date the local fuel administration will publish a warning in the local papers designed to impress upon all people the danger of prosecution which faces them if detected stealing coal from cars on side tracks here or from main line cars being hauled thru the city.

Chairman Dunlap read to the coal men paragraphs from warning just issued by the state fuel administrator with reference to the more acute conditions which may come unless every possible effort is used to conserve the available supply. The paragraphs referred to follow:

Every User Must Conserve.

"The railroads have never been able to transport the coal normally consumed in January and February and during these winter months we have always lived on our reserve supplies. This winter there is no reserve. Then came the blizzards and made the situation desperate.

"Under these conditions, how soon may we expect a resumption of industrial activity The weather man refuses to cooperate with us, Mr. Aishton is pushing the railroads to the limit of his power, the mine operators are crying for more cars to load. One thing remains to be done. Let every consumer of coal resolve that he will keep away from the coal yards until he has exhausted every resource to save fuel. Two members of our administration have moved their families into one house to avoid taking coal which is needed to keep some poor family warm Every patriotic citizen who voluntarily relinquishes his claim to a ton of coal, hastens the time when the wage earner may again see a pay envelope.

"Let every comfortable citizen who has a store of coal beyond his immediate need, call up his dealer and send back to the yard his surplus, or at least arrange with his neighbor to use that coal instead of depleting the pitifully small general supply.

"The people of Ilinois will never know from what suffering the Garfield Order saved them. If they did they would loyally observe the spirit of the Monday closing and not seek to evade it by literal interpretations. Business activity requres the consumption of fuel, indirectly, if not directly, and the observance of a strict Sunday schedule on these Mondays will accomplish great saving. Failure to make this saving may force a further drastic industrial shut down before the unknown dangers of February are passed."

PUBLIC SALE

Three miles northwest of Merritt, 3½ miles southwest of Chapin, on Thursday, February 7th, consisting of horses,, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep and implements. John Sherry.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will hold a public sale at my farm, eight miles south of Jacksonville and one mile east of Woodson, on Monday, Feb. 4th, commencing at ten a. m., horses and mules, cows, implements, feed, grain and one 12-25 Avery Tractor.

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PHI ALPHA SOCIETY IN INAUGURAL MEETING

Illinois College Society Held Annual Inaugural Session Friday Evening —Address Given by Attorney Hugh P. Green.

The annual inaugural meeting of Phi Alpha society of Illinois college was held at Beecher hall Friday evening. The following was the program:

Essay, "Sweet Auburn"—LaRue.

Orator, "The Day of the Lord"—Rutherford.

Following the oration the president of the society, Robert Nesmith, gave an address outlining the policies of the society for the coming year.

The inaugural address was given by Attorney Hugh P. Green, who spoke in part as follows:

"In constitution and in tendency, Phi Alpha society has always been democratic. It is therefore to this subject of democracy, in the sense that it is uppermost in the public mind today, that I wish to address myself, to pursue the subject in the main, and into several of its ramifications.

"The plan of government under which we operate, is such that democracy is given the full swing. The law-making branch, consisting of Congress is elected directly by the people. The law-enforcing branch, consisting of the President and many officials under him, is elected, indirectly by the people. The law-explaining branch, consisting of the Supreme Court and various lower courts established by Congress, is appointed for life by the President, with the consent of the Senate. In our State Governments all three branches are elected for terms, directly by the people. The representatives of the people make the laws, enforce the laws, and explain the laws. This form of Government is, we believe, the best form conceivable, and in consequence, we are engaged in a world war, gladly observing meatless days and wheatless days and various form of regulatory measures, sending men and munitions across the Atlantic, and making sacrifices serious and many, that the principles of democracy may not be abandoned, but rather spread rapidly thruout the civilized world.

"The Red Cross, as it is being handled today, is one of the ramifications of democracy. It did not originate in America but it has become an element of American democracy as it is applied at this time. This is evidency by the fact that there are more than 8000 members right here in Morgan County.

"The Y. M. C. A. is part and parcel of our democracy. It, likewise, did not originate in America, but it has been thoroly woven into our governmental fabric that it seems but a natural adjunct. The work of the Knights of Columbus, and of the various other lodges, tending ,as I am informed, towards the same general ends as the Y. M. C. A., is also of inestimable value.

"The registration of women, the first and second liberty loans, the loyalty pledge movement, these and other like endeavors, are all directed toward the one main idea, namely, the preservation, protection and extension of democracy.

"And as we learn from the past that in the name of dmocracy and liberty monarchs have been dethroned; that ancestral privileges have been swept aside; that the press has been liberated; that the conscience has been set free; and that equality before the law has been established; so may we safely predict for the future that the Imperial German Government will give way, that it must give way to democracy!"

After the inaugural address the society adjourned after singing the old Phi Alpha song.

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MEN GREATLY NEEDED FOR THE TRADES.

As seen thru newspaper publicity the government is making a special effort to secure men for building work, especially in the ship building plants. C. A. Johnson, vice president of the Elliott State bank, has been selected as special enlistment officer of Morgan county by action of the state council of defense and is receiving publicity matter with reference to this work. Men skilled in various trades which are related to ship-building are greatly wanted. The needs run to such large numbers that there is a certainty that men enough cannot be secured in the eastern states and so special appeals will be made in the central and western states.

There is a special demand for men having some knowledge of gas engines. Those who have had some experience in this work and who enlist will be sent to a school of instruction at Ft. Hancock Atlanta, and those who make the best records will later become non-commissioned officers. Salaries will run to $100 a month, with allowances for family dependents ranging from $5 to $50 per month. After a period of training the men will be sent to aeroplane factories in France. Men who are qualified for various lines of work allied to the ship building industry can secure any desired information by application to Mr. Johnson.

Star cream cheese. Douglas.

MADE EXCELLENT ADDRESS AT URBANA

Yesterday A. C. Rice in referring to the war conference at Urbana mentioned that the U. S. government representatives who have just returned from investigation trips to Europe made addresses of very special value. It is the men from this same party who are coming to Jacksonville Monday and Mr. Rice said that if the addresses made in Urbana can be taken as an index that Jacksonville people are indeed fortunate in having the opportunity to hear these men and their vivid war front story.

Social Events

Social Committee of No. 13 Rebekah Lodge.

The social committee of Jacksonville Rebekah Lodge No. 13 met at the home of Mrs. William Suhy on West Morgan street Friday evening for a business session. After the business session, dancing and a social time was enjoyed. Miss Ethe Reeve and Miss Beatrice Trunnells of White Hall were guests of the committee. Mrs. Suhy served refreshments.

Friday Social Circle.

Mrs. Josephine LaRue of West North street was hostess to the Friday Social circle Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in doing Red Cross work and quite a bit was accomplished for the cause.

Ebenezer Ladies Sew.

The Ladies' Aid of Ebenezer church met with Mrs. C. L. Reid Friday afternoon to sew for the Red Cross. The ladies are engaged at present in making hospital shirts. The meeting was an all day affair and at noon an excellent repast was spread, each lady taking a portion.

Birthday Party for Miss Genevieve Westrope.

Mrs. Carl Nelson, Mrs. C. Massey and Mrs. James Westrope were hostesses recently at a pleasnt gathering in honor of the sixteenth birthday of Miss Genevieve Westrope. Music and games were enjoyed and in the course of the evening delicious refreshments were served. When the birthday cake was cut the dime was found by Genevieve Westrope, the thimble by Claude Cully, the needle by Roy Carroll, the button by Elsie Hogan and the ring by Arthur McDaniels. Those present were Misses Minnie and Clara Pike, Marian Whipp, Ollie and Edna Peake, Elsie Hogan, Beatrice Dye, Hazel Westrope, Ruby Cully, Aletha Brown, Frances, Hazel and Mabel Nelson; Messrs. Byron Carter, Claude Cully, Lawrence Dye, Roy Carroll, Allen Hogan, Arthur McDaniels, William Dawson.

Parent-Teacher Association Of First Ward Held Meeting.

A large attendance marked the meeting of the First Ward Parent-Teacher Association at Jefferson school building Friday afternoon. A program of unusual merit was carried out and greatly enjoyed. The main feature was an address by Rev. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church. Dr. Pontius reviewed the present world war from the time of Bismark down to the present time. He showed how for years Germany had been making preparations which finally launched the world in the great war. His address was a most able one and was heard with close attention. Mrs. William Day presided and Mrs. George W. Imgrund was the secretary. The program opened with the singing of America by the audience. Mrs. Imgrund then read the secretary's report. This was followed by two piano numbers, by Miss Lonergan and two vocal numbers by Mrs. H. A. Perrin, accompanied by Mrs. W. D. Roberts. Miss DePew gave a reading and Mrs. Roberts told of Thrift stamps and their purpose. She also called attention to the Jolly Tar Inn at Waukegan which has been established by the Congress of Mothers. The association has made a donation toward the support of the institution. This was followed by the address by Mr. Pontius. A social hour was then enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Mrs. M. L. Pontius Hostess to C. W. B. M. Society.

Mrs. M. L. Pontius was hostess to the C. W. B. M. society at its regular meeting Friday afternoon. There were twenty-seven members and eight visitors present. In the absence of the president Mrs. W. T. Clarkson Mrs. Charles H Graff the vice president presided. The leader of the afternoon was Mrs. Ben Ferguson. The following program was given.

Song—Work for the Night is Coming.

Prayer—Mrs. Schell.

Scripture Reading—Mrs. Ferguson.

Song—I Love to Tell the Story.

Paper—The Conflict in Africa.

Recitation—New Version of the Good Samaritan, Miss Eleanor Thompson.

Paper—The Witch Doctor our Medical Missionary, Miss Viola Huff.

Tidings committee reported progress on subscriptions.

Visiting committee reported three calls and one case of illness.

Vocal solo—Miss Jessie Wall, Illinois Woman's College Accompanist, Miss Mildred aBrton.

Piano solo—Miss Lucy Pontius.

Talks by Mrs. Graff on the urgency of food conservation and other war problems.

Talk by Mrs. William Babb on the urgent need of women at the Red Cross shop to make surgical dressings.

Mrs. Watt read a card from the Misses Rataichak telling of a visit to Camp Logan and of seeing Lieut. Hale and Sergeant Jay Rodgers.

Vocal solo—So Long Mother, Miss Lydia Hunt with Miss Henderson as accompanist.

Piano solo—Sunshine of Your Smile, Miss Beatrice Dye.

The meeting was closed with the C. W. B. M. benediction. This was followed by a social hour and the hostess served refreshments.

Will Observe Birthday Celebration.

Mrs. Orlean Keemer, residing a short distance north of the city, will today celebrate her 62nd birthday anniversary, She expects to have with her her son Harry and wife of Peoria, her son John and wife of Winchester and her daughter, Mrs. Dessie Lewis of this city. Mrs. Keemer, whose maiden name was Clemma Murphy, was born in Scott county and was reared in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Georrge Ritchie, where August 16, 1874, she was married. Mr. Keemer wanted his minister and his bride wanted hers, so he took down Rev. Mr. Allen, pastor of the Christian church of this city, and the pastor of the Christian church of Winchester officiated in Mrs. Keemer's behalf, so that between the two the knot was thoroly tied.

The wedding was plan and simple but a very happy one. The young people lived in the vicinity of Lynnville for quite a while then about fifteen years in the region of Nortonville and for a number of years have lived near this city. They have lost two children, Edward, aged 23 and Elsie, aged 25. Mr. Kemer is the son of tha lat Elias Keemer, so well known in this city for many years and lived on the northwest corner of College street and South Main street, where he occupied a blacksmith and wagon shop until within a few years of his death. The reunion today will doubtless be a very happy one and those fortunate enough to sit down at the table will enjoy a feast of good things not soon to be forgotten.

Sigma Phi Epsilon Girls Gave Dance.

The girls of Sigma Phi Epsilon society of Illinois college gave a dance at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Ames Friday evening. About sixty were present and the event proved one of much pleasure for all. Miss Armeda Gebig of Beardstown, a member of the society and a former student who did not return last fall was a guest at the dance. Other out of town guests were: Owen Jones, a former student and Dr. Hans Hassel of Belleville. A feature of the evening was the presentation of a chafing dish to the society by Miss Gebig. The chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Ames, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Rammelkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Carter, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Johnson and Prof. and Mrs. Percy Whisler. The dance was perfect in all its appointments and was easily the feature event of the college season.

Farewell Party.

A very pleasant neighborhood gathering was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hart, south of Murrayville. The object of the party was two-fold. It was given as a farewell reception for Mr. and Mrs. Hart, who are soon to move to the Winchester community, and it was also in the nature of a miscellaneous rush for Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hart, who were recently married. There were about seventy five of the friends and neighbors of the two couples present and the evening proved a most delightful one in every way. At a late hour ice cream and cake was served.

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PETERSBURG MET DEFEAT AT WAVERLY

Menard Team Overwhelmed by Score of 55 to 13—McMahon and Hughes Made 51 Points Between Them—Waverly Seconds Defeat Boy Scouts.

The Waverly high school basketball team proved much too swift for Petersburg Friday evening when that team paid a visit to Waverly. The game resulted in a score of 55 to 13 in favor of Waverly. Following is the summary and lineup:

Waverly	F.G.	F.T.	Totals
McMahon, rf.	13	0	26
Colbert, lf.	2	0	4
Hughes, center	12	1	25
Allen, rg.	0	0	0
Woods, lg.	0	0	0
Total	27	1	55

Petersburg	F.G.	F.T.	Totals
Fahey, rf.	0	1	1
Peterson, lf.	0	0	0
Daniels, center	4	2	10
McDonald, rg.	1	0	2
Eraheim, lg.	0	0	0
Total	5	3	13

Referee—Callihan; timekeeper—Burnett, Waverly; scorekeeper—Lyons.

As a curtain raiser the Waverly second team met the Boy Scouts five with a score of 10 to 9 in favor of the second team. Next Friday night the Waverly five will meet the strong Pawnee team at Waverly.

Green peppers . Douglas.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO JERSEYVILLE

Ceremonial Session and Banquet Will be Held There Sunday.

A number of Knights of Columbus in this city will go to Jerseyville tomorrow to exemplify the work of three degrees in the Jerseyville council. The degree team of that city, under direction of Grand Knight F. B. Tracy, will confer the first and second degrees and the degree team from the Jacksonville council, directed by John J. Ferry, district deputy, will exemplify the work of the third degree. There will be sixty in the class of men taking this work from Jerseyville and Alton. Local Knights who will go to Jerseyville expect to leave on the 9:15 a. m. train and can return in the evening. A banquet for which extensive preparations have been made will have a place in the program of the day.

ADDITIONAL NAMES GIVEN OUT BY BOARD

In the list of names published in Class One, Division A of the exemption board rulings the name of Perrin W. Moore of North Main street was omitted. Since the publication of Division J of Class One three men whose names were published in that list have been transferred to Class Four, Division A. They are Charles Hudgin, Walter Ealy and Charles Joseph White.

Mrs. C. R. Short of Murrayville was shopping with local merchants yesterday.

CROWE MET DEATH WHILE ATTEMPTING TO GET COAL

Teddie Grigsby Testifies That Crowe Met Death While Attempting to Board Burlington Freight to Throw off Coal.

The coroner's jury sworn to inquire into the case of John Harrison Crowe, the colored man who was killed on the C. B. & Q. tracks north of the city Sunday morning last evening returned the following verdict:

"We, the undersigned jurors, sworn to inquire into the death of John Harrison Crowe, which occurred on the 29th day of January, 1918, on oath do find that he came to his death by being run over by freight on the Burlington railroad while trying to get coal off the freight train. We exonerate the Burlington railroad from all blame as regards the death of John Harrison Crowe."

C. L. Stark, foreman.
Ed Mallory
W. B. Briscoe
Charles Jackson
Wade Williams
Oscar Williams, clerk.

The testimony upon which the jury reached a verdict was given last night when the case was reopened by Teddie Grigsby. He being duly sworn testified as follows:

"I live at 434 Sheridan street. Am a laborer. I knew John Crowe, saw him at 1:15 a. m. Monday, Jan. 28, 1918. He sat for awhile until I made a fire. He heard a freight coming. He said he was going to get some coal before he went home off the freight train. I did not go with him. I went afterward. I made a fire first. I was to see him on the C. B. & Q. railroad later. I went with sled and sacks, going to pick up coal with him. He was going to get on the train and throw it off. I was to pick it up. I never saw him. I came back home. I do not know where he went. Suppose he went to Harry Wright's. Did not know he was killed until nine o'clock Monday. He understood that Crowe was to throw coal off and I was to pick it up. I thought it was Crowe because he said he was going to catch the freight. Last week he (Crowe) throwed off some coal. I went there. I did not see him lying there. I did not go to Harry Wright's that night. I went home and went to bed. He has been getting on at Mackey's store to get coal. I think he got on at Frank Ferreira's store. I saw the train. It was going fast. I went up to Lafayette, standing there as the train passed me. I was at home when it went by. I never heard any dogs barking around. He has been taking coal to Harry Wright. I was playing checkers with him. He never had any money."

After the above testimony had been given the verdict of the jury was easy.

Big game of season, Springfield vs. Jacksonville, David Prince gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

FUNERALS

Young

Funeral services for Leonard Young, the young Morgan county soldier boy who passed away at Camp Logan on account of pneumonia, were held yesterday. At the services held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Young and at Arcadia church, there were large crowds of sorrowing friends and relatives, paying a last tribute to this young man who gave up his life in the service of his country. The services at the home was held at twelve o'clock in charge of Rev. T. G. Shaw. Appropriate music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Miss Viola Davis and Mr. Clarence Richardson. The funeral cortege then moved to Arcadia where services were held in in the church at 2:30 o'clock. The church was well filled with people. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers. Music was rendered by Mrs. George Crum and Miss Wilma Crum. The pall bearers were Hildan Matteson, Carl West, Paul Scott, Elmer Strawn, Hiram Drury, and Leo Connelly. Interment was made at Arcadia cemetery.

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DEATHS

DeSilva.

Frances Burnetta DeSilva, the litle daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeSilva of 806 North Church street died at Passavant hospital at 7:20 o'clock Friday Morning. She was born September 4, 1917. Besides her parents she is survived by the following, Helen, Mildred, Vivian and Charles DeSilva all at home. Funeral services will be held from the residence this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Walter E. Spoonts,with burial in Jacksonville cemetery.

FOR SUNDAY DINNER
Pork Tenderloin at White Pig Market.

WITH THE SICK

Miss Frances Marie Scott who is a teacher at Oak Park High school is a patient at Passavant hospital for treatment. As soon as she has improved she expects to resume her duties as teacher.

Mrs. Ralph Hutchinson who is a patient at Passavant hospital is improving.

Mrs. M. V. Wyatt who has been ill at her home, 512 South Prairie street since New Years is somewhat improved.

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TRACTOR SCHOOL IS WELL ATTENDED

First Day's Session in Degen's Hall Attended by 100 High School Students—Much Interest is Shown —School Will be Continued Thru Today.

One hundred high school boys who are taking especial interest in farm work, looking toward employment on farms the coming summer attended the farm tractor school held in Degen's hall Friday.

These schools are being conducted thruout the entire country by the International Harvester company. The object is to give expert instruction to all those employed on farms, in tractor and other engines which are coming so much into use in modern farming.

In these days the uptodate farmer has a gasoline engine to run his cream separator, his corn sheller, hay baler, light plant and water system. Recently the farmer has been investigating tractors for farm work and these are now coming into use on many farms.

In view of these facts it is necessary that young men and especially high school and college students who expect to assist in farm work should have more than a passing knowledge of engines and their construction. They are entering so generally into modern farming that it is almost as essential as a knowledge of the horse and its care.

The school here is under the direction of E. M. Logan instructor, F. J. Harmon, assistant instructor, and J. E. Water, expert. All of these men are thoroly conversant with their work and what they don't know about farm tractors and gasoline engines is not worth telling.

The men have just closed a successful school at Carrollton where some of the most prominent farmers in Greene county were present at both days' sessions. Emil Schram manager of the Hartwell ranch of 4,500 acres, C. H. Gibbs, manager of the McWilliams ranch of 2,500 acres was also present with three of his foremen. Guy Lowenstein of the Boyles ranch and others, took great interest in the school.

The young men who attended the school Friday are taking work along special lines of farm work and this school comes in direct line with their work. Therefore Prof. Huber thought that a day at the school would be of much more benefit than information gleaned from text books, hence he marshaled them together and escorted them to Degen's hall where the time was most profitably spent.

The farm tractor is comparatively a modern invention. For the past few years it has been used with success on the large farms of the Dakotas. However it is only recently that farmers in this section have realized the value of the tractor and adopted it for use on the farm.

The school will be continued thru today when it is expected that it will be largely attended by farmers. Even one who is not a farmer but who owns an automobile or a gasoline engine will be able to gleam much information that will be of value to him from this school.

SPECIAL TODAY ONLY
Peanut Brittle, 18c Pound.
MULLENIX & HAMILTON

COAL SCARCE EVEN IN SANGAMON COUNTY.

James Middleton returned yesterday from a week's business visit in Sangamon county. He spent most of the time in the vicinity of Chatham and said yesterday that the town was practically without coal altho there are many mines within the radius of a few miles. A number of the mine operators there are either not equipped to sell to wagon trade or else are unwilling to do so.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Savings deposits made during the first ten days of February will draw interest from the FIRST of the month.

Don't miss the good clothing bargains at Knoles'.

NEW FOOD RULES FOR THE RESTAURANTS

More Meatless and Wheatless Meals Are Scheduled

New instructions issued by the food administration to cafe, restaurant and hotel owners give rules for special observance of each day of the week. A reading of these new instructions covering the seven days indicates very clearly the desire of the food administration to make further savings of wheat. Two wheatless days are designated and at least one wheatless meal for each of the remaining five days. The rules as outlined for all public eating establishments are as follows:

1. Sunday—Wheatless meal and meatless meal. For the morning meal (before 10 A. M.) serve no meat products, as defined in the regulations for Tuesday. For the evening meals (after 5 P. M.) serve no wheat products as defined in the regulations for Monday.

2. Monday—Wheatless day and meatless meal. Serve no wheat crackers, pastries, macaroni, spaghetti, wheat cereals or other wheat products, except as noted below. Wheat flour may be used for thickening soups and gravies. Bread baked in your own establishment may contain only such wheat flour as is neneccary as a binder for other flours used. If you buy bread, get it from a bakery which will supply you with Victory Bread, made according to the U. S. Food Administration formula, or other bread containing no greater proportion of wheat flour. For the morning meal (before 10 A. M.), serve no meat products, as defined below.

2. Tuesday — Meatless day and wheatless meal. Serve no hog, cattle or sheep products in any form. This includes all derived products, such as liver, bacon, brains, kidneys, sausage, etc. For the evening meals (after 5 P. M.) serve no wheat products as defined in the regulations for Monday.

4. Wednesday — Wheatless day and meatless meal. Observe the regulations as laid down for Monday.

5. Thursday — Wheatless meal and meatless meal. Observe the regulations as laid down for Sunday.

6. Friday—Wheatless meal and meatless meal. Observe the regulations as laid down for Sunday.

7. Porkless day, wheatless meal and meatless meal. Serve no hog products, fresh or preserved in any form. This includes lard. For the morning meal (before 10 A. M.) serve no meat products as defined in the regulations for Tuesday. For the evening meals (after 5 P. M.) serve no wheat products as defined in the regulations for Monday.

Proprietors are urged not only to observe strictly the foregoing regulations, but to use non-wheat breads so far as possible at all times and to use mutton and lamb in preference to beef or pork at those meals when the use of meat is permissible.

"RED TAG SALE"
ends tonight at 9 o'clock. Buy now. Don't wait.
RABJOHNS & REID

PLANS COMPLETE FOR U. S. SPEAKERS COMING

Evening Meeting at Central Christian Church—Addresses Will be Given at Routt College and High School.

The final arrangements for the coming of representatives of the U. S. food administration were made yesterday by the local committee. The general mass meeting will be held at Central Christian church at 8 o'clock Monday night. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the visitors will go to Routt college where the addresses will be of an informal character. At 3 o'clock they will address students of the Jacksonville high school. While both of these afternoon meetings are primarily for students they will of course be open to the public.

M. F. Dunlap will preside at the Monday night meeting and the program will include several musical numbers. As previously stated, the speakers will come from Quincy Monday morning. They will be at the Dunlap House and the local committee, which includes M. F. Dunlap, C. B. Graff, E. E. Crabtree, Mrs. O. F. Buffe, Mrs. Charles B. Graff, Mrs. Miller Weir, Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson and Miss Janette Powell, will meet at the Dunlap House at 1:30 in the afternoon and will accompany the speakers to Routt college and the high school.

The food administration sent to the local committee some large window display cards for advertising the meeting. Blank spaces were left for the insertion of the time and place of meeting and the necessary printing was done by L. G. Magill without charge. It has been the common experience locally that citizens are always willing to come forward with any necessary aid or contribution for the various patriotic efforts made here.

Green peppers . Douglas.

BOILER BROKE DOWN.

A boiler breakdown caused some inconvenience in the F. G. Farrell & Co. bank building yesterday and it was not possible to have steam heat. In this emergency several gas and oil stoves were put into temporary use and made it possible for "business as usual" to be the order at the bank. This applied also to the store of Russell & Thompson, where heat is secured from the boiler in the Farrell building, and tenants on the lower floor of the bank building also made temporary heating arrangements. Bernard Gause had a force of men at work during the day and night and the boiler will probably be in use today.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primary election.

George L. Stice.

Dressed chickens. Douglas.

MORE MEN LISTED IN THE DEFERRED CLASS

Names Added to Those Who Will Be Called into Service After Preceding Classes are Exhausted.

The following additional names have been placed in class 4 A by the Morgan County Exemption board. These married men with children therefore will not be subject to army service until men in preceding classes are called out.

Audrie H. Adams, 5827 Minerva avenue, St. Louis, Mo.
Maurice A. Peckham, 503 W. Walnut street.
Silas H. Philleo, 802 W. Lafayette avenue.
Fred A. Points, Waverly.
Arlow C. Mansfield, 612 W. Lafayette.
Sherman C. Smith, 641 South Prairie street.
Charles McNamara, 2224 Fourth avenue, Rock Island.
Omer O. Waer, 820 S. West street.
Glenn E. Stevenson, 455 South East street.
Roy Conlee, 352 W. North street.
William Templin, route 3, Winchester.
Osie M. Duke, route 6, Jacksonville.
Alfred C. Turner, 903 W. Lafayette avenue.
Alfred E. Biggs, 740 E. Chambers street.
Ed Buck, 400 E. Lafayette.
S. Clarence Patterson, Worland, Wyoming.
Forest Campbell, route 7, Jacksonville.
Ralph Carter, 212 N. East street.
Harry Keirl, 1012 East College.
John Michael Butler, 767 South Church street.
William N. Smith, Meredosia.
Pearl R. Iglehart, 615 W. Lafayette avenue.
Josiah Lisenbee, Versailles, Ill.
Earl M. Spink, 223 Westminster street.
Carl Mack, 466 S. Clay avenue.
Edgar T. Busey, 715 Jordan street.
Charles W. Brackett, 361 East North street.
Harry L. Hamilton, Franklin.
Lyman Decker, route 3, Jacksonville.
Aaron T. Hodgson, Sinclair.
Karl Murphy, 797 West Lafayette avenue.
Fred O. Greenwood, Alexander.
William L. Hildreth, 762 Hardin avenue.
George W. Edman, Jr., care of Kresge Co., Jacksonville.
Everett M. Miner, route 3, Murrayville.
Bert L. Smith, 1030 Eleventh avenue, Rock Island.
William F. Dunbar, 816 W. Lafayette.
Herbert L. Gordon, 1118 N. Jefferson street, Peoria.
Arthur Denney, 934 Freedman street.
Benjamin M. Carter, Dandridge, Tenn.
Leonard L. Acree, 825 W. Lafayette avenue.
Oliver H. Wright, Franklin.
Roy L. Branstiter, 703 W. Lafayette avenue.
Clarence O. Phelps, 1034 Dayton street.
William T. Samples, Sinclair.
Claude R. Sandidge, Murrayville.
Charles J. Buhrer, 831 W. Lafayette avenue.
Edgar T. Potter, Meredosia.
Joseph A. Lovell, 345 N. West street.
Perry L. Varble, 516 South Main street.
Carl Arthur Nelson, 641 Liberia street.
Theodore T. Arisman, 130 Chestnut.
Leo Scott, Chapin.
Clay Corbridge, 923 Allen avenue.
Paul Harshbarger, 52 McCoy street, Akron, Ohio.
Fred A. Holle, 426 East North street.
Afton E. Bottom, 806 Epler street.
Ernest H. Schluster, Meredosia.
Ernest L. Kuhlman, route 1, Arenzville.
William Francis Kelsey, Esto, Ky.
Elmer Jason Johnson, Chapin.
Grover Cleveland Floyd, Meredosia.
Thomas J. Davis, 339 Lurton street.
Walter L. Frank, 244 Park street.
Maurice D. McLain, Meredosia.
Walter Darwin Deatherage, 310 S. Jackson street, Beardstown.
Erskin Hardy, 316 Fulton street.
Ernest David Vieira, 125 Richard street.
Ivin Woods, Franklin.
Clifford H. Kitner, Murrayville.
David E. Brown, 525 Hooker street.
Melvin Beard, Salem, Ind.
Herald A. Brewer, Y. M. C. A., Waukegan, Ill.
Harry L. Crews, 46 Davenport street.
John Francis Hood, Waverly.
Russell Harold Connor, 614 S. Main street.
Thurman Haskell, 707 W. College street.
George Joshua Creed, Prentice.
John Albert DeSollar, Chapin.
Howard Underwood, 225 1-2 S. Main street.
Alva Sylvester Johnson, Waverly.
Gussie H. Butcher, 1012 Third avenue, Peoria.
Carl O. Anderson, Jacksonville.
Francis A. McGinnis, 120 East Dunlap street.
George Raymond Wade, Meredosia.
Russell Watson Taylor, 520 Hooker street.
George W. Dudley, 827 East Independence avenue.
Walter Reed, Waverly.
John Benjamin Snyder, 1114 Hackett avenue.
Arleigh G. Horton, route 2, Jacksonville.
Parker Seymour, Franklin.
John Elzey Gorman, Waverly.
Porter Rice Bell, route 1, Woodson.
Leo Joseph McCormick, 1322 East Railroad street.
Russel L. Oliver, 516 Second street, Peoria.
Edward S. McKavitt, 624 W. Lafayette avenue.
John James Buckley, 752 Hardin avenue.
Courtland J. Miller, Alexander.
Oliver Austin Norris, Waverly.
Lee Rouland, Waverly.
Guy W. Carter, route 2, Jacksonville.
Henry Asbury Wax, Markham.
Perry David Six, Markham.
Howard Ray Smith, 643 South West street.
James N. Lindsay, 427 Center street.
John T. Webb, 534 South East street.
Harry T. Strawn, 410 S. Smith street, Springfield.
George W. Thies, Woodson.
Edward Decatur Greenwood, 1042 N. Diamond street.
Alfred Raymond Moss, 128 Hardin avenue.
Andrew Menezes, 336 Sharp street.

Big game of season, Springfield vs. Jacksonville, David Prince gymnasium tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

WILL TAKE SPECIAL UNIVERSITY COURSE.

Chester Hemphill, who recently made application for admission to Chicago university to take a course in preparation for work in the ordnance division of the army, has been notified of his acceptance. Mr. Hemphill will leave the coming week for Chicago to begin the work. Mrs. Hemphill will accompany him to Chicago.

Your best investment; the warm clothing at Knoles'.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZES TO AID WITH QUESTIONNAIRES.

The Morgan county committee named to have charge of card index work in connection with questionnaires of drafted men has been organized with H. H. Vasconcellos, chairman, the other members being H. Ambrose Perrin and F. J. Harney of Chapin. Mr. Harney is principal of the Chapin schools. The index cards have not yet been received by the committee but as soon as these necessary records are received a number of teachers will be called upon to assist the committee in the necessary work of compiling the statistics. As indicated in the original announcement, this committee is to work in co-operation with the local exemption board, this nation-wide plan having been adopted in order to in some manner divide the heavy burden of compiling questionnaire statistics.

WATER SAVING
must be kept up to a still greater extent. We must accumulate some reserve for fire fighting.
JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

L. B. Megginson of Lynnville was a Friday visitor in the city.

New Spring Models for Young Men are Here

The new styles typify the current military spirit, "Sammy", "Tommie" "French and Italian" models.

To the young men who buy their clothes for early wear will find medium weights for present use and later wear.

Single and double breasted
Plain shades and mixtures

$20.00 to $35.00

MYERS BROTHERS.

Hot Water Bottle for Cold Feet and Sleeplessness

For those miserable minutes when you first tuck your feet into the "ice cold" sheets; for that constant discomfort you suffer because your feet "get cold"; for that sleepless half hour that seems like half the night when you can't get to sleep. For Cold Feet anywhere, any time, anybody's, we have the positive cure—a "WEAR-EVER Hot Water bottle.

Prices $1.25, $1.75, $3.00—2 year guarantee

Pretty Hands in Spite of the Dishpan!
HAZEL CREAM

The best lotion for chapped hands and face. Fine to use after shaving. Is not sticky or greasy. Large size bottle for 15c
More for 25c
Fine Glass Stoppered for 35c which we guarantee to refill for 25c

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MIRROR SALE ON YET at $1.08
Fountain Pens at 69c
Fine Pocket Knives at Cost.

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Tarts—French Cake Liberty Cookies
Loyalty Candies

Chase & Sanborn's Peaberry Coffee Served

Barley Flour 7c lb Rye Flour 7c lb Bulk Meal 6¼c lb
Bulk Rolled Oats Buckwheat 9c lb

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The Store That Reduced the Price.